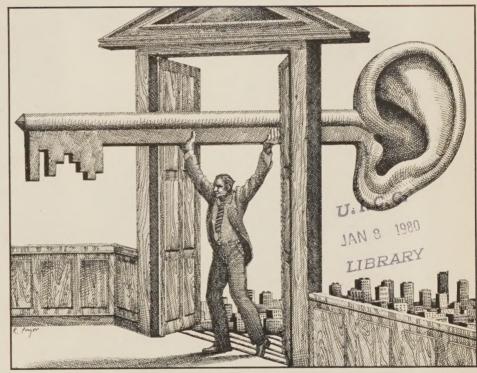
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OPENING THE CLOSED DOORS OF JUSTICE

ATLANTA, Georgia—During the trial of a pornography king in Rome, Ga., the judge suddenly ordered the doors of justice shut on the public and their free press while he heard the testimony of a key witness.

Reporter Neil Craig of WXIA-TV, the Gannett television station in Atlanta, objected. He read into the record a statement of protest from The Gannett Card, a wallet-size card which equips all Gannett newsstaffers with a prepared plea for a hearing on any move to close a courtroom to the press or the public. This card also includes a reminder of the people's First Amendment rights to a free and unfettered press.

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Boston Herald American

The journalism awards were from the San Francisco Press Club. But most of the top honors went to San Jose in the 1979 competition.

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A"First Place" in news was voted to Elias Castillo and Marita Hernandez for their Mercury News series on California's migrant worker controversy,"Dream of the North," A second "First Place" honored Mercury News writer Glenn Bunting for his interview with a paralyzed crime victim. And a third Mercury News "First Place" was captured by sports writer Charles Bricker for his series on player injury and medication.

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- 7-11-ANPA/RI Basic Offset Press and Plate Seminar, ANPA Research Institute, Easton, Pa
- 10-12—Arizona Newspaper Association, Mountain Shadows, Scottsdale, Ariz
- 16-17-First Amendment Congress, Philadelphia, Pa.
- 17-19-Wisconsin Newspaper Association, mid-winter meeting, Stevens Point, Wisconsin
- 26-Florida Bar's Media-Law Conference, Curtis Hixon Hall, Tampa,
- 20-23-International Newspaper Advertising Executives sales conference, Hyatt Regency, Dallas, Tex.
- 21-25—ANPA/RI Management Introduction to New Technology, ANPA Research Institute, Easton, Pa.
- 24-26—Texas Press Association, Rodeway Inn & Conference Center, Arlington, Texas. 24-26-Kentucky Press Association, Executive Rivermont, Owensboro,
- 26-29—Great Lakes Newspaper Production Conference Inc., Detroit Plaza
- Hotel, Detroit 27-Feb. 2-Suburban Newspapers of America Management Conference, Wailea Beach, Hawaii

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- 4-8-ANPA/RI Direct Screen Color Separation Seminar, ANPA Research Institute, Easton, Pa.
- 10-12—Southern Newspaper Publishers Association production conference, Orlando Hyatt House, Kissimmee, Fla.
- 11-15—ANPA Management Development Workshop, Water Tower Hyatt House, Chicago, III.
- 13-15-Ohio Newspaper Association, Sheraton-Columbus Hotel, Columbus, Ohio
- 14-15-Inland Cost Clinic, Hyatt Regency O'Hare, Chicago.
- 14-17—Annual California Newspaper Publishers Association Convention, Hotel del Coronado, Coronado, Calif.
- 20-22—International Circulation Managers Association/American Newspaper Publishers Association legal symposium, Fairmont Hotel, Dallas, Texas.
- 22-24—Mississippi Valley Classified Managers and National Telephone Supervisors, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Chicago.
- 25-29-ANPA/RI Basic Offset Press and Plate Seminar, ANPA Research Institute, Easton, Pa
- 25-29-ANPA Key Executive Seminar, Royal Orleans Hotel, New Orleans,
- 28-March 2-Maryland-Delaware-DC Press Association, Ramada Inn, Baltimore, Md

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- 2-5-Inland Daily Press Association, Hyatt Regency, Phoenix, Ariz.
- 9-11-New York State Publishers Association, Rye Town Hilton Inn, Rye,
- 10-14—ANPA/RI Management Introduction to New Technology, ANPA Research Institute, Easton, Pa.
- 13-15—New England Association Circulation Executives, Boston Mariott, Newton, Mass
- 14-15-Mid-West Circulation Managers Association, Plaza Cosmopolitan,
- 16-18-First Amendment Congress, Williamsburg, Va.
- 16-19—ANPA Conference for Young Newspaper Men and Women, Don CeSar Beach Resort Hotel, St. Petersburg, Fla.
- 16-19—ANPA Labor Negotiators Seminar, Houstonian Inn, Houston, Tex.
- 18-21-Inter American Press Association, board of directors, Hotel Cariari, San Jose, Costa Rica
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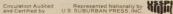
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Newsbriefs

Shipping firm buys Loeb's stock

William Loeb's 25% of the stock of the *Manchester* (N.H.) *Union-Leader* was acquired for about \$1.5 million by Augsbury Organization Inc., a shipping and fuel distribution company based in Ogdensburg, N.Y. At least three newspaper groups made bids for the stock—Affiliated Publications Inc., Minneapolis Star and Tribune Co., and Newspapers of New England Inc. Frank A. Augsbury Jr. is long-time friend of Loeb. Loeb has said he will put the remaining 75% of the stock into a trust that will go to the newspaper's employes after the deaths of himself and his wife

Jury deliberating joint pact

After two days of closing arguments and a five-day recess, a San Francisco jury was to begin deliberation January 2 in the anti-trust suit against the San Francisco Examiner and Chronicle.

Thomson makes bid for FP

Thomson Newspapers Ltd. has submitted a \$139 million bid for complete control of F.P. Publications Ltd. The bid reportedly exceeds the latest offer by a group led by Conrad Black, chairman of the Argus Cop., which raised their bid to about \$120 million from \$102 million last weekend.

Ottaway joins Newsplan

All daily newspapers in the Ottaway group are now participating in NEWSPLAN, the program to spur national advertising by offering incentive rates and by making it easier to plan, place and pay for a multi-newspaper schedule.

Kauffman said the offering of NEWSPLAN contracts by the Ottaway papers as of January 1 brought the total number of daily newspapers in the NEWSPLAN program over the 950 level.

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Photographer detained

Hubert Van Es, freelance photographer on assignment for *Time* magazine, is being detained in Kabul by Afghanistan authorities after he refused to board an Indian Airlines plane with other Western reporters expelled December 30. Van Es is detained in the Kabul Inter-Continental Hotel.

The foreign journalists had reached the capital after the Soviet-backed coup. Afghanistan officials said they were expelled because their safety could not be guaranteed.

Mail deliveries halted

Claiming "strictly economic reasons," the *New York News* on January 1 stopped its mail subscription service to out of town readers.

The News's circulation director, A.S. Heltman, said "just over 1000 subscribers" were affected by the cancellation of mail service.

"The cost of servicing such a very small amount of subscribers just didn't justify itself any longer," Heltman explained.



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First Amendment Congress

The first of two First Amendment Congresses designed to heighten public awareness of the importance of the free press guarantee will be held in Philadelphia Jan. 16-17. A second Congress will be held in Williamsburg, Va., March 16-18.

Twelve national journalism organizations are sponsoring the Congresses and many notable newsmen from newspapers and broadcasting will participate.

The public's appreciation and understanding of the First Amendment has gone up and down over the years depending mostly upon the press' coverage of current events. Pollsters have told us the trend mostly has been down except for periods such as the Watergate coverage. Most of the public realized then the truth might never have been revealed except for a free press.

George Gallup is expected to report at the first Congress on a new poll he has made of the public's perception of freedom of the press.

Efforts have been made in the past to educate the public on the meaning and value of the First Amendment and a free press. Several "Newspaper Week" themes have been geared to that topic. They were reported to have been moderately successful in areas where local media made the greatest effort.

That seems to us to be the essential key for the success of the two Congresses. The promoters and participants may exert a favorable influence on the educators, attorneys and business people who will be delegates. But it cannot be expected they will do the missionary work in their professions and their home towns to get maximum results for a favorable attitude toward a free press and the First Amendment.

Every one of the 12 journalistic organizations must promote this event through members at the local level. The sponsoring organizations are: American Newspaper Publishers Association, AP Managing Editors Association, American Society of Newspaper Editors, National Association of Broadcasters, National Broadcast Editorial Association, National Conference of Editorial Writers, National Newspaper Association, Radio-Television News Directors Association, Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, Society of Professional Journalists/Sigma Delta Chi, the Associated Press and United Press International.

Just imagine the impact this effort could have if every member of those organizations would participate as an advocate and a missionary for the First Amendment message!

If these events are treated like many other media meetings (journalists do not give much space or time to journalistic meetings) the impact on the public will be minimal. The public-at-large won't get the message.

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Letters

TIGHTER EDITING?

So newsprint is in short supply.

To save space, editors cut comics from 5 to 4 column width. And they say they are tightening up on the editing. I haven't seen much evidence of tighter editing.

Long wire stories are still dumped into back pages to move the pages. Rarely are these long stories edited down to reflect interest and importance. Editors really aren't editing.

Stories done by local newsmen, carrying datelines of towns in the newspaper's circulation area, are rarely tightly edited. A long local story usually carries a big headline, giving readers in that town a feeling something of major import is happening. But read on and you'll find the story shallow, overblown and overplayed . . . and poorly edited.

The point I'm making is that newspapers are not tightly edited. They are barely edited at all. Is it any wonder readers rarely spend more than 15 or 20 minutes reading their local paper.

Many people rely on tv for their news. Why? They can get the news with little effort. But probably more importantly, tv gives them the news in capsule form . . . stressing what tv newsmen think is important in the total run of the day's events. You can't tell what is important from reading the average newspaper . . . except for the front page. But the average front page doesn't carry more than six stories.

Newspapers work hard to fill space by overplaying local and wire stories.

News magazines, by way of comparison, are tightly edited, highly selective; space is well used. By comparison newspapers are dull.

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A lot of newspapers wouldn't sell if it weren't for the ad content. For surely it isn't the news content that sells them.

WILLIAM K. BABEL

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VOICE FOR PR

I must add my voice to Paul Parham's (E&P, Dec. 15) on the discussion of SDX exclusion of non-newspersons.

There are many "flacks" in business or government public relations or public information who, repeatedly, defend to their bosses and peers the people's right to know and freedom of the press. Some PR people are doing more to ensure a free flow of information than many of those persons associated with news organizations.

I, too, have no objection to the exclusion as it now exists, but I hope members of the Society of Professional Journalists/Sigma Delta Chi will not forget there are some very dedicated members of our organization outside America's newsrooms and colleges.

MERLE F. PUGH (Pugh is a public information officer with the Forest Service-USDA, Portland, Ore.)

OBJECTIVE

I noted with interest the editorial "Exploitation of the press," in the December I edition of Editor & Publisher, especially the opinion that only print reporters "... have revealed that the demonstrations outside of the U.S. embassy which were seen on the air nightly seem to be well-orchestrated and choreographed for television cameras only."

We agree with you that all segments of the press are under an obligation "to explain the conditions and circumstances under which they have obtained and disseminated the news," whenever those circumstances cast doubt upon the accuracy and objectivity of news reports. Far from neglecting that responsibility, CBS News has made it clear to our viewing and listening audiences that the activities

of the so-called student captors and their supporters are part of a massive propaganda campaign aimed at influencing American and world opinion.

CBS news correspondent Hal Walker reported on a recent "Tuesday Morning" broadcast that the hostages are "at the center of a very sophisticated public relations campaign orchestrated by their captors." Correspondent Tom Fenton has referred to the "carefully orchestrated crowds outside the American embassy" on the CBS Radio Network broadcast, "The World Tonight," And lest American viewers be misled to think that the entire Iranian population is involved in the demonstrations, correspondent Don Kladstrup reported on the "CBS Evening News with Walter Cronkite" that several blocks from the embassy, life goes on as usual in Tehran.

We also agree with you that journalists can "be used at times as a pipeline for propaganda." It is for that very reason that CBS News turned down the interview with Corporal William Gallegos under terms dictated by the students. On the other hand, CBS News agreed to submit questions in advance in order to obtain correspondent Mike Wallace's interview with the Avatollah Khomeini because we believed the news value of the interview outweighed, in this rare instance, the obvious disadvantages of the procedure. The audience was informed of these terms before the interview was broadcast

We will continue to report the events in Iran with as much objectivity and honesty as possible and despite the trying nature of the obstacles placed before us as members of a free press.

ELLEN EHRLICH
(Ehrlich is director of information services
for CBS News.)

Correction

In E&P's December 29 story concerning department store advertising, it was erroneously reported that K Mart stores' sales volume rose 11% between 1974 and 1978. The correct figure is 111%.

EDITOR'S COMMENT I

Jack Swickard
Editor
Daily Record
Roswell, New Mexico

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Record, Hackensack	149,977	-4,850	+1,592

In addition, Sunday Press circulation in the past two years has increased by 14,746 for a current total of 139,561.

Comparison of ABC FAS-FAX Reports for six-month periods ending Sept. 30, 1978 and Sept. 30, 1979.

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Industry outlook bright as it paves way for 1980

By Andrew Radolf

An optimistic mood prevails as newspapers prepare for the 1980's, E&P learned after asking news executives around the country to discuss their plans and projections

for the coming year.

Although they believed tight supplies and spiraling costs of newsprint and energy will continue next year, most of the executives expected their papers to register linage and circulation gains despite predictions that 1980 will be a recession year.

Several newspapers contacted also have begun researching ways to integrate new technologies as interactive teletext systems and two-way cable television

into their operations.

J. Robert Hudson, marketing director of the Register and Tribune Company in Des Moines, Iowa, said his company plans to use the high cost of gasoline as a means of promoting its two newspapers to readers and advertisers.

'With gasoline approaching \$1.50 a gallon, more people are going to look to the printed word to see where to go and what to buy before they ever leave home," Hudson stated. "Our sales people are selling the concept to advertisers that those who will do best in 1980 will be the ones who give consumers that kind of information. We're selling the same idea to readers . . . stressing the return on investment a newspaper subscription gives in savings when times are a little tougher.'

Rising newsprint, energy, and labor costs compelled the Register and Tribune Company to raise its city-wide home delivery rates to 80¢ per week for the morning Register, 70¢ per week for the evening Tribune, and 70¢ for the Sunday Register. Newsstand prices jumped to 25¢ for the daily papers and 75¢ for the Sunday paper. Despite these increases, Hudson believes the new sales approach will be successful in attracting readers.

"By comparison, a newspaper is still one of the greatest bargains!" he declared.

Hudson added the Register and Tribune Company plans to implement "customer service type improvements" by computerizing its billing and record keeping operations for

"We're also studying home data and seeing how we might fit in," he commented. "If that's the trend of the industry, we want to be in the forefront of it.'

The Register of Orange County, located in Santa Ana, California enters 1980 with a \$20 million expansion project underway and its circulation and advertising managements and staffs enlarged to accommodate its rapid growth.

"The population is approaching 2 million county wide, and we intend to grow along with the county," remarked the Register's publisher, Dave Threshie. He said the paper's combined morning and evening daily circulation is "up 16,000" to reach 227,000 and advertising is "booming . . particularly retail display and national, but classified is

The Register has installed two more 9 unit Goss Metroliner presses and added trucks to its home delivery fleet, Threshie pointed out, and has increased its editorial space and color capacity.

"A better graphics design is also part of the paper's

growth and strategy," he stated.

To get the newsprint for linage and circulation growth. Threshie believes his paper which averages 127 ROP pages daily may have to look as far as Finland, Japan, and Sweden. To meet escalating costs, the Register will raise its ad rates the first of the year, but for the time being its circulation prices will remain at \$3.50 a month for home delivery, 10¢ daily and 35¢ Sunday on the newsstands.

The Baltimore Sun is "in the middle of a capital investment program in excess of \$45 million," commented its publisher, Donald H. Patterson, "We're putting in a new mail room, new press room, and a new loading dock.

Noting that the Sun has purchased "two lines of 18 unit Goss Metroliners," Patterson remarked, "We'll be able to position color anywhere it is needed.

The publisher said his business projections for 1980 indicate the Sun will "hold circulation" at around 350,000 combined morning and evening daily but do "slightly less in terms of linage.'

As part of his paper's continuing evolution into new technology, Patterson said the Sun and seven other papers "of comparable size" have formed "a loose knit group to develop ideas and marketing approaches for electronic home data bases.'

Naming themselves "the Big Eight," the group is sharing research information and making recommendations on ways

to start "joint or separate pilot projects."

The Detroit News sees 1980 being "a pretty tough year, to put it mildly," observed Robert Nelson, the paper's vicepresident and general manager. "We're going to do a more aggressive job on selling the paper. It's going to be a year for tough competition in a hell of a competitive town, but things here are going full tilt.'

The News is changing 54 Goss Mark V letterpress units at its Sterling Heights plant to a TKS conversion system which approximates offset quality, and it intends to open in October 1980 a new completely offset plant in Lansing to handle out of state circulation.

"We'll have color capacity in 48 pages of any of our papers," Nelson asserted, adding that he expects the Republican Convention to be held in Detroit to help next year's linage and circulation.

The News is "putting more marketing emphasis" on its morning edition which accounts for 10% of its 628,000 daily circulation.

"We're sure it (morning edition) will grow to a larger percentage," the general manager stated. "We're looking at home delivery (of the morning edition) in the retail trading zone, but we have no intention of discontinuing anything in

Presently the News sells its morning edition only at street outlets within the retail trading zone but offers it for home

delivery in outlying areas.

The News is also "investigating electronics" according to Nelson, particularly "videotex, teltext, and interactive terminals. We're staying close to what's happening and trying to analyze the best ways to go."

The Kennebec Journal, a Guy Gannett newspaper in Augusta, Maine with 18,000 daily circulation, is meeting the economic challenges of 1980 with a tightly budgeted profit

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Industry outlook bright for 1980s

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plan "making good allowances for newsprint and energy,"

stated general manager James Hoffman.

Commenting that he sees "no influx of new retailers and businesses" to his market, Hoffman continued, "We anticipate a more stable condition as far as our past growth. By any means possible, we're going to live within our budget to maintain the same profit level as last year."

He added that his paper has no intention of sacrificing "our strong news effort. We cannot hedge on putting out a

quality product.

To conserve newsprint the Journal will switch from 8 to 9 column classified in January. Early next summer it will go to a 9 column format throughout the paper except for news which will stay at 6 columns.

"Last year because of having 8 column classifieds, we ran two or four pages more than was really required," Hoffman

explained.

To reduce distribution costs, the Journal plans next year to move "as much circulation into the carrier category as possible," he remarked. "Boy carriers are the best deal economically. We have a strong promotional campaign to improve our relations with parents and show the value of being a carrier. Once the earmark of every successful businessman was that he had been a carrier."

Special sections are another facet of the paper's operation which have come under close scrutiny by

Hoffman.

"We're going to have one special section a month," he declared. "By planning each one ahead of time, we're going to know its value to our readers and advertisers."

The Journal raised its advertising rates last November 1, and its budget calls for another 8% ad rate increase on November 1, 1980. The paper wants "to make every effort" to hold its home delivery rate at \$1.20 a week and its mail subscription rate at \$62 per year.

Fort Collins, Colorado, 65 miles north of Denver, has surged in population from 43,000 in 1970 to "65,000 to 80,000 depending on which planner you talk to" in 1979, according to Robert S. Lee, publisher of the *Coloradan*.

Lee expects his paper with a circulation of 18,200 daily to continue its steady growth of "3% to 7% the last several

years" into the 80's.

With energy in abundant supply from a regional coal fired plant which is under expansion, Lee sees his market remaining 'a good living area, a good opportunity for business."

To keep up with the area's growth, the Coloradan is expanding its carrier and motor routes which extend 75 miles north of the town and ''looking at adding editorial people,'' Lee said. "We're studying new sections too, but nothing specific yet."

Enlarging the printing plant and installing more presses

are also under consideration.

"We're optimistic on the 1980's!" Lee declared. "We're interested in planned growth land city/county cooperation on zoning. That's what will dominate our news stories in the foreseeable future."

To meet spot newsprint costs for 1980, Dealey said the Morning News despite an ad rate hike this fall, is "keeping that option available" of another rate increase in 1980.

The Lexington (Ky.) Leader and Herald in 1980 will test the Ferag total mail room system for the parent company,

Knight-Ridder Newspapers.

"In the last five years, the number of pieces our mail room handled quadrupled," said Creed Black, publisher of the two newspapers. "With the increases in circulation and inserts, we needed a new system. We're projecting continued growth. Our morning paper (the Herald) is up 25%, the afternoon's growing, and our combined circulation is up 12.5%. We're the growth leaders for Knight-Ridder papers."

The Leader's daily circulation is 66,100, and the Herald's

is 33,570.

The Lexington papers have also completed a \$22 million plant expansion with 14 new Goss Metro units.

"We've created a 'new business department' in advertising to reach people who have not used our paper before." he added. "We'll have more color too. At the moment, we're optimistic."

New Mexico's energy resources of coal, uranium, and oil, and its development of solar technologies offer a bright future for the 79,500 daily Albuquerque Journal as well.

Editor Jerry Crawford reported that a new \$35 million plant will be ready for occupancy early next year by the Journal and the Albuquerque Tribune with which it has a joint operating agreement.

The planned one story building "near a railroad siding" will mean a switch from letterpress to offset and the implementing of new electronic production systems including "going on-line" in the newsrooms for both papers, according to Crawford.

"The new plant is an indication that we see a strong potential in this area," he maintained. "Albuquerque's been getting 7000 to 8000 new familes a year. This growth rate should continue, and our circulation should grow too."

R.F. Pittman, publisher of the *Tampa Tribune and Times*, gave what can be taken as a summation of the newspaper

industry's prospects for 1980.

"Despite inflation, if the economy holds up, our circulation will grow and our advertising will grow," he said. "We'll have to conserve newsprint, but we think we'll be able to get enough."

"Coal is the big thing in Montana, and our long term prospects are tied to it," asserted William Roesgen, editor of the *Billings Gazette*. "The coal's 100 miles east of here, but we're the headquarters of its development."

Roesgen observed that although Billings is "enjoying a semi-boom" with new construction all over town, the Gazette "will be tightening its belt a little bit" in 1980.

Roesgen sees "a big environmental battle" ahead for his

Roesgen sees "a big environmental battle" ahead for his community with 75,000 residents over "the huge coal reserves so easily strippable 10 to 20 feet below the surface in practically empty range land. We benefit from more people and development, but we also favor reclamation and pollution controls. We're in the middle."

Pointing out that the Gazette has a circulation area "as big as New England, 400 miles in every direction but not a lot of people," Roesgens said gasoline prices will be a major problem in 1980 for his 59,500 daily paper.

The Gazette has instituted a two tier price system with people in distant areas paying more. The editor reported the higher prices have not produced a drop off in circulation in outlying regions because "we're the only metro that comes into their homes."

The Gazette has also increased the ad discount, offered by its city only tabloid called Neighbors to "better than 30%" to attract more local advertisers.

"It's a small town kind of paper that covers all the local clubs," he explained. "It's been successful with readers, but advertisers want our whole circulation and don't mind paying premiums for it." The advertisers' reasons, he believes, is that despite gas prices, the Gazette's readers continue to travel as much as 300 miles to shop in Billings' stores.

"Our goal for 1980 is overnight hard news coverage of the region," Roesgen stated, saying the Gazette will feature investigative reporting from "roving staff people."

Court closures pose challenges in Albany, N.Y.

The Appellate Division of New York State Supreme Court has sided with the Albany (N.Y.) Times-Union in the newspaper's challenge of a closed arraignment held last October by an Albany County Court judge.

In a unanimous decision December 13, the five-member appeals court said Judge Joseph Harris acted improperly when he convened the arraignment in his chambers and granted a defense motion to close it to the press and public. An indictment charging a 27-year-old college student with grand larceny was re-sealed by the judge after the arraignment, and the attorneys involved were ordered not to talk about the matter.

The case was one of four last year in which Capital Newspapers Group—which publishes the Times-Union, the *Knicker-bocker News* and the Sun Group—went to the Appellate Division to oppose the closure of criminal court proceedings.

Shirley Armstrong, the Times-Union court reporter who was involved in two of those cases, had learned of the closed arraignment the same day it occurred but was denied access to any information about the defendant's identity or the charges involved.

Judge Harris said he had closed the proceeding because he feared any publicity generated would be prejudicial to the same defendant in a separate attempted robbery case, for which he was scheduled to come to trial in a few days.

"However," the Appellate Division said, "we cannot condone or acquiesce in the course (Harris) followed, no matter how meritorious his purpose."

While the court felt the Times-Union had failed to establish a constitutional right of access to all arraignments, it added that the newspaper had presented "a strong and convincing argument for unrestrained access absent a clear showing of genuinely compelling circumstances supportive of (the public's) exclusion."

The newspaper's appeal petition was dismissed by the appeals court as moot because details of the arraignment had been made public by the judge once the defendant's attempted robbery trial ended.

Otherwise, the Appellate Division said, it would have vacated Judge Harris' order and unsealed the indictment for the Times-Union.

Judge Harris, meanwhile, said he would appeal the ruling. He claimed the Appellate Division had based its decision on "erroneous findings of fact" and should have allowed the defendant to be represented in the appeal.

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Of the more than 100 attempts across the country to close court proceedings since the U.S. Supreme Court decision in Gannett vs. DePasquale last July, the Times-Union case was the only one in which the press and public were barred from an arraignment, according to the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press.

In March, before the Supreme Court's Gannett ruling but after the New York Court of Appeals had decided the case, Ms. Armstrong was locked out of an Albany County courtroom by Judge John J. Clyne while a defendant was pleading guilty to a felony. The defense attorney had argued his client's admission of guilt could be prejudicial to two co-defendants in the case who were then maintaining their innocence.

The Times-Union appealed but the Appellate Division upheld Judge Clyne's action last August. The newspaper has since taken the case to the state Court of Appeals.

In granting the Times-Union permission to appeal the Appellate Division ruling, the Court of Appeals also agreed to allow all nine of the Gannett Co.'s news subsidiaries in the state to file a consolidated amicus curiae brief in support of the Albany newspaper.

Less than two weeks after the Supreme Court's decision in Gannett vs. DePasquale last July, the Capital Newspaper had its second fair trial-free pressencounter with a local court when a reporter for the Knickerbocker News was ordered by Judge Harris to leave a pretrial suppression hearing. Other spectators were allowed to remain in the courtroom but told not to talk to the press about the case.

Judge Harris, in excluding the reporter, refused to grant a brief adjournment so the newspaper's attorney could argue against the closure motion. The Knickerbocker News appealed.

One month later, an Appellate Division justice ordered Harris not to resume the suppression hearing—which had since been adjourned for other reasons—until the newspaper had been given the opportunity to argue its case in a preliminary hearing.

The reporter was ultimately barred again from the suppression hearing, but Capital Newspapers' attorney Peter Danziger, of the Albany firm of O'Connell and Aronowitz, said the case set an important procedural precedent.

Despite that ruling, however, reporters from both the Times-Union and the Knickerbocker News were denied an opportunity to call their attorney before a Saratoga County judge closed another suppression hearing in November.

The hearing had been convened during the murder and robbery trial of an 18 year old woman. A jury had already been seated and admonished to avoid news accounts of the trial, and the first witness had already testified in open court.

But Judge Loren Brown said it would be "naive" for him to believe his instructions to the jury would ensure a fair trial for the defendant, who was subsequently acquitted of murder but convicted of robbery.

Within two weeks of the verdict, Capital Newspapers had asked the Appellate Division to overturn Judge Brown's action as illegal and unconstitutional.

In his petition to the appeals court, Danziger asked that Brown be enjoined from closing any court proceedings in the future unless he had first granted a hearing to anyone opposing closure.

That case was expected to be argued in the Appellate Division sometime early in 1980.

Advertising

Computer to rate media strengths for newspaper rep

A portable software system for unbiased media evaluation has been ordered by Sawyer-Ferguson-Walker for all its offices and for the newspapers represented by the company.

The system is Telmar and DM Systems' media calculator which evaluates newspaper, broadcast and media mix schedules, with a TI-59 Programmable Calculator and Printer. It estimates reach, frequency, gross impressions and GRP's as well as costs-per-thousand and per point.

"Sawyer-Ferguson-Walker took this unprecedented step," said C. Richard Splittorf, chairman and president of the company, "because we are convinced that The Media Calculator is a selling tool which can help newspapers increase their share of market against other media."

The Media Calculator should be especially helpful at the local level where broadcast sales people are using similar tools," Splittorf said.

"The difference between these proprietary broadcast and newspaper systems and The Media Calculator is that Telmar supports the Media Calculator."

"This means that the system will have the third party credibility of a media systems company with over 300 agency and advertiser clients."

"Sawyer-Ferguson-Walker and the newspapers it represents will be the first in the newspaper industry to have The Media Calculator, though other agencies and their clients from coast to coast have ordered the system," he said.

Leeds promoted

Candace Leeds has been named a senior vicepresident at Grey & Davis Inc., the public relations subsidiary of Grey Advertising Inc.

Morning becomes elective in circulation switches

Good morning

The number of switches into the morning cycle and additions to the list of Saturday and Sunday a.m. editions in 1979 indicate a growing trend away from afternoon newspapers in one-paper cities and in several metropolitan areas.

Hardly a sensational development there have been inklings of it for several years—nevertheless the changes this past year appear to have prompted many publishers to consider the benefits (and/ or disadvantages) of revising their circulation goals in 1980.

The 1979 record shows the following: Ten afternoon dailies shifted to the

Six a.m.-p.m. combinations went "all day" with emphasis on morning.

Three p.m. papers added a.m. editions for special circulation zones.

Three a.m.-p.m. combinations abandoned the evening field.

Nine papers added Sunday morning

Seven papers moved from afternoon to morning publication of Saturday edi-

tions, or added Saturday a.m.
At least three newcomers to the daily field elected to serve their markets in the

These newspapers changed from afternoon to morning: Clearwater (Fla.) Sun, following the recent changeover by two other Florida dailies, in Gainesville and Tallahassee. Lakeland (Fla.) Ledger. Sioux Falls (S.D.) Argus Leader. Ottawa Journal. New Ulm (Minn.) Journal. Bakersfield Californian. North Platte (Nebr.) Telegraph. Colby (Kans.) Free Press. Pittsfield (Mass.) Berkshire Eagle. Lake Charles (La.) American Press.

Owners of those papers had a variety of reasons for making the change and all said they had made intensive studies of the factors experienced in other shifts. Energy savings were cited by some.

"The simple truth," said Tim J. McGuire of Lakeland, "is that in today's newspapering world the better planned, better coordinated newspapers are the morning newspapers. In the afternoon we have not been able to produce as fresh a product as we'd like."

Ronald H. Brown, editor-publisher of the one-year-old Colby Free Press, said a morning edition was more suitable to mail delivery schedules.

After 90 years in the afternoon field, the Sioux Falls Argus-Leader became a

morning paper because, according to publisher Larry Fuller, "there was just no way we could grow outside the Sioux Falls area with an evening paper. It was impossible to get the regional spread, especially with mail delivered papers."

"Readers didn't want a day-old newspaper," he added.

"To remain competitive" was also a reason given by Walter E. Hussman for starting a morning edition of the *Arkansas Democrat*. "Transportation problems are hurting afternoon newspapers all over the country. The morning edition will get the freshest, latest news to our subscribers out in the state. We will not start printing the Democrat until hours after the competition has gone to press

with its out-state edition.

Moving toward more direct competition with the Washington Post, the Washington Star inaugurated a street sale edition with a 3:30 a.m. press start. "Many people have told us they would like to start their day with our kind of newspaper," said Star publisher George W. Hovt.

Closing of the *Huntington* (W. Va.) Advertiser, an afternoon paper since 1889, was "a sign of the times, of economic conditions," remarked Harold E. Burdick, publisher of the Gannettowned Advertiser and morning Herald-Dispatch. West Virginia now has 17 p.m. and 9 a.m. dailies.

Gannett also closed the afternoon Rockford (Ill.) Register-Star which had suffered declining circulation while the morning edition gained.

An eight-month shutdown in a labor dispute was fatal to Montreal's only afternoon English-language newspaper, the *Star*, which once held the No. 1 spot in circulation lists. The morning *Gazette*, which was founded by Benjamin Franklin in 1778, remains the sole English-language daily in Canada's second largest city.

Boston lost its last evening paper when the *Globe* decided to be an all-day paper with afternoon newsstand sales. The *Evening Globe* subscribers now receive the morning Boston Globe.

Two big Texas p.m. dailies—the Houston Chronicle and the Dallas Times Herald—adopted the all-day schedule which Times Herald publisher Lee J. Guittar termed as "a more realistic way to describe our functions to both reader and advertisers." This statement acknowledged the change in rules of the

Audit Bureau of Circulations which no longer require separate totals for a.m. and p.m. circulation. With this revision, the *Detroit News* christened its early edition with the morning designation.

The Times Herald broke into the morning field in the fall of 1977 with a Texas edition, with home delivery outside of Dallas County. The Houston Chronicle is offering its new morning edition on newsstands in Harris County.

On February 1, 1980, the *Seattle* (Wash.) *Times* is scheduled to become an all-day entry with newsstand sales and home delivery outside of the metropolitan zone.

To combat circulation moves in the capital city by Montreal and Toronto dailies, the *Ottawa Journal* switched to a.m. and asked the city council to authorize an increase in sidewalk boxes from 150 to 400.

New dailies entering the morning picture include:

Vero Beach (Fla.) Press Journal, formerly weekly.

Auburn (Calif.) Journal, thrice-weekly for 100 years.

Amherst (Mass.) Morning Record, with Sunday edition; previously on a twice-weekly schedule.

Duncan (Okla.) Morning Eagle, a weekly for 95 years.

Sylacaugua (Ala.) Advance, a combination of three non-dailies, with a Sunday edition.

A morning paper called *East Bay Today* was introduced by Gannett Company as a companion of the *Oakland* (Calif.) *Tribune*. It will have street sale only at 10¢ a copy.

Washington Post Company's *Trenton* (N.J.) *Times* started a morning edition on sale at 6 a.m. An evening paper, the Times has published Saturday and Sunday mornings.

Adding Saturday a.m. editions were: Tifton (Ga.) Gazette, Port Clinton (O.) News Herald, and Alexandria (Va.) Gazette.

Evening papers that launched Sunday morning editions were: Camden (N.J.) Courier-Post, Easton (Pa.) Express, Stroudsburg (Pa.) Pocono Record, Sandusky (O.) Register, Cookeville (Tenn.) Herald-Citizen, Lebanon (Pa.) Daily News, Vancouver (B.C.) Province, Grand Island (Nebr.) Independent, Martins Ferry (O.) Times Leader, and Nanaimo (B.C.) Daily Free Press, which will emphasize "good news" and entertainment.

The \$50 million transaction which would make CBS Inc. the publisher of Family Weekly, the newspaper supplement, underlined the importance of the Sunday and weekend circulation. John R. Purcell, the former Gannett Company executive who is CBS executive vice-president, said, "We are pleased to be aligned with the growing Sunday news-

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paper publishing field."

With 358 distributing newspapers, six having been added in 1979, Family Weekly raised its circulation rate base to \$2.2 million copies and hiked ad rates to \$66.555 for a black-and-white page and \$75,800 for a four-color inside page.

If it please the Court . . .

The Burger Court surpassed itself
And reached the heights of follies.
The Court they should have closed was
theirs instead of DePasquale's.

New Orleans lawyer-publisher Ashton Phelps, in this Ode to the Gannett decision, expressed succinctly the reaction of the Press to the Supreme Court's 5-4 ruling that judges may conduct pre-trial hearings behind closed doors.

"Outrage" is the term used by one of the dissenters, Justice Harry Blackmun, to characterize the decision which left the understanding with many federal judges that they could bar the press and

public also from trials.

Chief Justice Warren Burger scolded the judiciary for over-reacting to the situation because they were reading press criticism rather than the court's prevailing opinion which Justice Potter Stewart wrote.

In another public speech, Associate Justice William J. Brennan tried to soften condemnation of his colleagues with an explanation that the First Amendment philosophy of press freedom is two-faced—the absolute protection of expression and the qualified responsibility of the press to adjust to societal interests.

The Court bypassed any First Amendment issue in deciding Gannett Co. v. Daniel A. DePasquale (the latter being a federal judge who closed pre-trial proceedings to reporters from the

Rochester newspapers).

Under the Sixth Amendment, Justice Stewart held, the defendant in a criminal case is guaranteed the right to a public trial but there is no guaranteed right to compel a private trial. The issue, he wrote, is whether members of the public have an enforceable right to a public trial that can be asserted independently of the

parties in the litigation.

What set off the "over-reaction" of the press was the commentary by Justice Lewis Powell in a concurring opinion that "the right of access to courtroom proceedings is not absolute. It is limited," he stated, "both by the constitutional right of defendants to a fair trial and to preserve the confidentiality of sensitive information and the identity of informats." It thus became, in his view, the prerogative of the trial judge to exclude the press and public.

The murder case which gave birth to the DePasquale Case concluded in late 1976 when the two defendants pleaded EDITOR & PUBLISHER for January 5, 1980 guilty, but the Rochester newspapers persisted in challenging the closure rule and the Supreme Court decision came down in July 1979. Meanwhile, the Gannett newspapers won the first Edward Willis Scripps Award for their vigorous defense of First Amendment principles.

The New York Court of Appeals, which unanimously supported Judge DePasquale's order, took the pains to say in another case, "We did not mean to suggest that closure would be necessary or even appropriate in all pretrial proceedings."

And early in 1980 the Supreme Court will, in effect, give a day in court to the dissenters who argued that the DePasquale ruling went too far. Now it will direct its attention to the First Amendment aspects of the question whether judges may exclude the public and the press from criminal trials. This case comes to the highest court from Virginia where two reporters for the Richmond Times Dispatch and News Leader were ejected from a county court murder trial. The Virginia Supreme Court cited the DePasquale Decision, as well as state law, to uphold the trial judge's action.

Equally disturbing to the Press in 1979 was the Supreme Court ruling that gave former Army Lt. Col. Anthony Herbert the right to probe the "beliefs, intent and conclusions" of journalists in a libel suit against CBS "60 Minutes." It was a 6-3 decision and Justice Byron White wrote for the majority: "According an absolute privilege to the editorial process of a media defendant in a libel case is not required, authorized or presaged by our previous libel cases." As a public figure, White noted, Herbert has to prove actual malice or knowing falsehood to collect damages. The broadcast program, he alleged, depicted him as a liar.

In two 8-to-1 decisions, the Supreme Court added to the difficulties of libel defense. U.S. Senator William Proxmire was held liable for a "Golden Fleece Award" that ridiculed a scientist because the constitutional privilege for members of Congress does not extend to news releases and statements away from the House and Senate.

At the same time the Court ruled that a Soviet-born naturalized American citizen, Ilya Wolston, was not a public figure since he had not "voluntarily thrust" himself into the controversy surrounding the investigation of espionage in the United States. He is suing Reader's Digest over a 1974 article.

A West Virginia law barring the publication of the names of juvenile offenders was struck down by the Supreme Court. It applied only to newspapers. At issue, Chief Justice Burger wrote, was simply the power of the state to punish the truthful publication of an alleged juvenile delinquent's name lawfully obtained by a newspaper. In that case, he concluded, the constitutional right of the press

"must prevail" over the interest of the state in trying to help in the rehabilitation of a minor.

Refusing to review an appeal from a New Mexico court order compelling the Albuquerque Journal to identify confidential news sources in libel litigation, the Supreme Court left this question open for possible later consideration depending on the outcome of the trial.

The Court also declined to hear arguments on a lower court ruling that a telephone company need not notify reporters in advance of turning over records of their long-distance calls to government

investigators.

A case that might have required the Court to pass on the constitutionality of the secrecy provisions of the Atomic Energy Act, as applied to the press, was stymied by the surrender of the Department of Justice in prosecution of the Progressive Magazine for publication of an article telling how to construct a hydrogen bomb. The prior restraint case fell apart when other periodicals printed similar information from classified and unclassified sources.

In Canada, a provincial judge dismissed charges against the *Toronto Sun* for breach of the Official Secrets Act. He said the government could not make a document secret simply by stamping "top secret" on it. The Sun had published an article based on a confidential police document dealing with Soviet espionage operations.

A British Columbia judge fined the Victoria Times \$3,500 for a Robert Bierman cartoon that caricatured a government minister, depicting him gleefully pulling the wings from flies with a tag on his chest reading "human resources." The flies represented the Indians.

The ruling, some commentators said, could wipe out political cartooning in Canada.

Diversification

Deprived of revenues from cigaret and liquor advertising on radio and television, CBS Inc. turned its diversification eyes toward the newspaper business and agreed to pay \$50 million for Family Weekly which runs in 353 Sunday and weekend papers.

Only a few years ago a consortium of newspaper publishers retrieved the supplement from ownership by an oil conglomerate which had ties to the Shah of Iran.

Broader business interests also marked the acquisition programs of various newspaper publishing companies.

Knight-Ridder Newspapers Inc. bought HPBooks, a Tucson firm, for \$5 million plus a one-half share in the operation's profit for five years.

Washington Post Co. added Vision, the European business magazine, to Newsweek's responsibilities.

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Conde Nast, a Newhouse concern, picked up Gentleman's Quarterly magazine for \$9.2 million cash.

Times Mirror Co. said it increased its stake in Tejon Ranch Co. (oil, cattle and

farming) to 25 percent.

Philip Merrill (Annapolis Capital) paid \$3.6 million for Washingtonian magazine.

Torstar Corp. (Toronto Star) boosted its interest in Harlequin Enterprises (romantic novels) to 59 percent with purchase of 482,478 shares for \$6.3 million.

Multimedia Inc. acquired a cable tv system serving 36,000 homes in Kansas for about \$11 million.

Gannett Company's Combined Communications division bought United Advertising Corp., a New Jersey sign and

billboard manufacturing concern. Cox Enterprises subsidiary paid \$4.5 million for Schulke Radio Productions. which builds "Beautiful Music" programs for 66 stations.

Times Mirror Co. entered the programming end of pay ty for service via satellite to its 470,000 cable subscribers.

Phoenix Newspapers Inc. made a deal to participate with Storer Broadcasting Co. in CATV in its market.

Dispatch Printing Co. (Columbus Dispatch) bought Ohio Magazine from Larry Flynt interests.

Donald W. Reynolds (Donrey Media Group) said his company had purchased North Kona Shopping Center in Hawaii.

Harte-Hanks Communications Inc. acquired Urban Data Processing Inc.. computer information service.

Harte-Hanks also bought CBA California Inc., with saturation distribution systems in California and Nevada.

Gannett Company bought the Virgin Islander magazine founded four years ago by movie queen Maureen O'Hara.

Hearst Corporation expanded its interest in Southwest Forest Industries to 17 percent and also acquired Eastern News Distributors, which handle 138 magazines and books.

Thomson Family concerns won the Hudson's Bay Company in a bidding contest with a price of more than \$700 million. Hudson's Bay has interests in food products, oil, gas, real estate, and retailing (35 percent of Simpsons-Sears Ltd).

News Ltd (Rupert Murdoch) gained control of Ansett Transport Industries Ltd. Australian airline company with a tv station in Melbourne.

Plant Modernization

Speaking of plant modernization, the 20,000 periwinkle bushes around the home of the Potomac News in Woodbridge, Va. may be symbolical of the newspaper industry's efforts to conserve energy, reduce production expense and provide greater service to their communities-regardless of the cost.

Not too many years ago ANPA member papers reported annual outlavs of between \$100 and \$200 million for buildings and equipment. For 1979 capital spending was estimated at \$321 million in the U.S.

But that figure is dwarfed by the announced projects, some of which have been completed, some beginning, and a few on the drawing boards. For example:

Detroit Free Press, in a \$50 million plant two years after ground-breaking ceremonies.

Detroit News, a satellite plant near Lansing that cost \$12 million, and an equal amount for improvement of main facilities.

Washington Post, \$60 million earmarked for an auxiliary plant in Virginia.

San Jose (Calif.) Mercury and News, \$19 million for plant enlargement.

Lexington (Ky.) Herald Leader, \$20 million for modern printing facilities and offices.

Sacramento (Calif.) Bee, \$37 million for plant addition and new presses.

Paddock Newspapers, \$17 million for building and production equipment in Arlington Heights, Ill.

Newark (N.J.) Star-Ledger, multi-million dollar satellite plant in suburbs.

San Francisco Examiner, multi-million dollar expansion.

Orlando (Fla.) Sentinel Star, \$39 million for production building.

Newsday, Long Island, in \$40 million plant at Melville, N.Y.

Norfolk (Va.) Virginian-Pilot and Ledger-Star, \$32 million for offset production plant.

Port Huron (Mich.) Times Herald, \$4.5 million plant which will share downtown site with a bank.

And topping all of these:

Chicago Tribune, \$150 million project to be ready for production in 1982.

Newcomers 11, Suspensions 11

The number of new daily newspapers equalled the number of dailies that were folded in 1979. The 12 newcomers were mostly non-dailies that stepped up their publishing schedules. The 11 suspended dailies were mostly oldtimers and a few of their illustrious names survived in all-day newspapers.

In Canada, the list of dailies remained balanced when the Bedford-Sackville (Nova Scotia) News took the place of the venerable Montreal Star.

For the United States, the total number of dailies at year's end stood at 1,756, as listed in the Editor & Publisher INTERNATIONAL YEAR BOOK. That figure has been fairly constant for a decade.

Here are the new dailies:

Renton (Wash.) Record Chronicle. Kent (Wash.) News Journal.

Auburn (Wash.) Globe.

(The three grew out of weeklies in the Fournier group).

Broken Arrow (Okla.) Ledger. (Previ-

ously twice-weekly).

Guam Tribune. Seguin (Tex.) Gazette-Enterprise. (Merger of weeklies).

Vero Beach (Fla.) Press Journal. (From 3 to 5 days).

Amherst (Mass.) Record. (135-yearold twice-weekly).

Duncan (Okla.) Eagle (a weekly for 95 vears).

Sylacauga (Ala.) Advance (four weeklies combined).

East Bay (Calif.) Today (Oakland

Tribune companion). Castle Rock (Colo.) News Press.

(Three weeklies merged).

On the list of suspensions are:

Redwood City (Calif.) Tribune (merged with the Palo Alto Times).

Huntington (W. Va.) Advertiser (consolidated with the Huntington Herald Dispatch).

Boston Evening Globe (consolidated with the Boston Globe).

Rockford (Ill.) Register-Star (evening edition).

Bartlesville (Okla.) American (converted to weekly after one year).

Yuba City (Calif.) Herald (established in 1973).

Beaver Falls (Pa.) News-Tribune (combined with Beaver County Times). East St. Louis (Ill.) Metro East Jour-

Champaign-Urbana (Ill.) Courier.

Mansfield (O.) Ohio Observer (back to weekly after six months).

Homestead (Pa.) Messenger (back to weekly after 80 years). Suspended indefinitely.

Promised for 1980 startup are dailies in Hartford, Conn. and New York City.

Carrier Relations

Improving the lot of the newspaper carrier received some special attention last year; such as the following:

Charles Hoskins, Terre Haute (Ind.) Tribune Star, had a bill introduced in the state legislature that would exempt carriers under the age of 18 from paying a \$10 filing fee for small claims when they try to collect delinquent accounts.

The Bloomington (III.) Pantagraph gave all of a subscription rate increase (7½¢ per week) to the carriers.

In a recruitment program the Oklahoma City (Okla.) Oklahoman and Times laid aside \$5 each month from a carrier's earnings to pay for a bicycle. If the carrier serves a route for one year he receives the \$60 in his account and the

Dave Fluker, circulation director, arranged for St. Petersburg (Fla.) Times and Evening Independent staff carriers to receive reimbursement each month for route mileage at the rate of 2¢ per mile, plus 20% for collection mileage.

Des Moines (Ia.) Register and Tribune carriers are given ID cards entitling them (Continued on page 17)

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to cash discounts at participating stores. Members of their families may use them too.

Other developments affecting the distribution systems included:

Festus (Mo.) Daily News-Democrat disbanded its "Little Merchant" program and switched all of its 6,000 copies to the Postal Service.

A 25¢ per copy price went into effect in numerous cities. Not only the Boston Globe but suburban papers in the area jumped from 20¢ to 25¢, and in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. the increase was from 15¢ to 25¢ for the News and Sun-Sentinel. Single copy price for the Oklahoman and Times in Oklahoma City was boosted from 10¢ to 20¢. It had been 15¢ in 1975 and 1976. The New York News went from 20¢ to 25¢ weekdays and held at 50¢ on Sunday. The New York Times raised the suggested newsstand price of the Sunday edition from \$1 to \$1.10 outside a 50-mile radius of Manhattan. In Los Angeles a copy of the weekday Times went to 25¢ and the Sunday price went from 60¢ to 75¢.

An 11-year-old carrier organized 18 colleagues into a bargaining position with management that resulted, under threat of a strike, in a \$1 holiday bonus, a pay hike and earlier delivery hours for the *Clinton* (Ia.) *Herald*.

Perils of Reporters

The job of a reporter was perilous, both physically and financially, yet journalism schools of the U.S. had record enrollments (more than 70,000 in all) with a large portion of students aiming toward careers on the news side of the business. And women represented 53 percent of the classes.

On the firing line, Joe Alex Morris Jr, Los Angeles Times, was killed while covering a clash of military factions in

On the legal front, two reporters for the San Francisco Examiner—Raoul Ramirez and Lowell Bergman—were slapped with libel judgments of \$780,000 each as part of a total verdict of \$4,560,000 which is being appealed.

Other highlights pertaining to reporters included:

The Massachusetts Legislature rejected a bill that would have required investigative reporters to register as private detectives and be subject to regulation of their activities.

Numerous newspapers imposed a rule on their sports writers forbidding them to serve as paid official scorers at major

league baseball games.

Congress considered a revision of the charter of the Federal Bureau of Investigation that contained a provision to allow the FBI to employ newsmen as informants.

The New Jersey Supreme Court upheld the conviction of Harvey Lashinsky, Newark Star Ledger photog-EDITOR & PUBLISHER for January 5, 1980 rapher, for interfering with a police officer at the scene of an automobile accident. The court said "the prerogatives of the press must yield, under appropriate circumstances, to other important and legitimate government interests."

California Governor Edmund Brown Jr. expanded the state's shield law to protect reporters from libel suits when they accurately quote testimony at disciplinary proceedings involving doctors and other professionals.

Two felony counts and three misdemeanor charges against *Memphis Commercial Appeal* reporter Joseph Shapiro were quashed after he and the newspaper agreed not to press any charges against the City of Tupelo, Miss. The reporter had been arrested and charged with inciting a riot at a Ku Klux Klan rally.

Norfolk (Va.) Ledger-Star reporter David Chandler, a Pulitzer Prize team member in 1961, was released from a jail sentence and \$100 a day fine for refusing to identify his news sources. The court ruled the information could be obtained from other witnesses.

In San Diego, a judge said a tv photographer had a right to remain at the scene of an aviation disaster because "it was important for people to know the facts."

Under new flags

Two famous suppliers to newspaper publishing moved into new sections of the industrial directory.

Eltra Corporation, created in 1963 from the merger of Mergenthaler Linotype Company with Electric Auto Lite Company, became a wholly owned subsidiary of Allied Chemical Corporation.

Over the years the firm that began with Ottmar Mergenthaler's invention absorbed telephone and electronic equipment concerns, footwear (Converse and Goodrich) manufacturers and a leasing operation. Annual sales of Eltra companies exceeded one billion dollars.

The takeover by Allied Chemical Corp. was sealed in July when American Manufacturing Company sold its 3.2 million above of Elitas

lion shares of Eltra.

Early in 1979 Wood Industries Inc., originally the Wood Newspaper Machinery Corp., was acquired by Maschinenfabrik Augsburg-Nuernberg of West Germany (M.A.N.) which is a unit of Guetehoffnungshuette Aktienverein. M.A.N. also purchased control of White Motor Corp.

Under the combined name of M.A.N.-Wood, the company is producing printing presses for the U.S. and foreign markets. Several years ago Wood obtained the R. Hoe & Co. press patents. Earlier Wood absorbed the Walter Scott printing press company.

Costly strikes

"A great cheer went up," London

newspapers reported when 452,000 copies of the *Times* rolled off the presses on the night of November 13. It had been almost a year to the day that "The Thunderer" of British journalism had remained silent.

There was some question whether the trades unions or the Thomson Organisation had made enough concessions and/or gains to improve productivity with modern technology. Some rival publishers claimed the terms of the settlement would be very expensive to all.

All during the long strike and shutdown, Lord Thomson of Fleet insisted the Times and its companion, *Sunday Times*, were not up for sale, though he said the suspension was costing his company several millions of dollars per month.

The Montreal Star resumed publishing after an eight-month shutdown. New contracts provided substantial increases for all employes. By January 1981 the top bracket reporters and photographers would receive \$512 a week.

But it wasn't many weeks before the Star folded, leaving only French-language papers in the afternoon field.

In the U.S. there were fewer strikes than usual against newspapers and most were shortlived. One exception was the pressmen's strike that closed the St. Louis Post-Dispatch and St. Louis Globe-Democrat for 54 days in 1978-79. Manning tables, not wages, were the crucial issue. The Globe later renewed a Guild contract that boosts reporter pay to \$465.96 per week.

The Elizabeth (N.J.) Daily Journal continued to publish, after a brief suspension due to the walkout of editorial and business office staffs—the first strike in its 200-year history.

Syndicates

While new comic strips introduced by the syndicates in the closing year of the 70s decade are swinging into the 80s with the most contemporary of lifestyle themes, two venerable strips managed to celebrate a half century and more of comics pages lives and a couple of oldies got themselves revived.

"Buck Rogers" came back for more space adventures: "Popeye" turned 50 years old, and the folks of "Gasoline Alley" celebrated a 60th anniversary. "Little Orphan Annie" got reborn into a contemporary life adventure in an oil-rich sheikdom.

In the lifestyles, a 32-year-old woman cartoonist who lives in Manitobas Lynn Lake, Manitoba, found success with Universal Press Syndicate for her view of contemporary family life, "For Better or Worse."

And a 28-year-old St. Paul, Minnesota, artist, James Schumeister came up with a rookie policewoman, Annie Levy as the title character in the station house setting for "Levy's Law" with Newspaper En-

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terprise Association.

And the two-income family segment of the population gets some space with "Koky", the title character for Richard O'Brien and Mort Gerberg's strip with the Chicago Tribune/New York News Syndicate. "Koky" has found a job as a humor columnist and appears as a working wife with husband and three offsprings.

Then in "Splitsville", the creation of Frank Baginski and Reynolds Dodson, the sly fun revolves around divorce-related themes. The Los Angeles Times strip was set for a book collection after it had been running only six months in the

year.

Then there is another success story in the debut of 'Drabble', an addled young fellow, whose creator Kevin Fagan was all of 22 years old when he sent the samples off to United Features Service, which promptly signed him up.

The lighter side of the law came in for comics treatment under the punny title of "Copps & Roberts" by Rick Kirkman and Jerry Scott for Southwestern Fea-

ture out in Phoenix.

The Los Angeles Times Syndicate began distribution of "Star Wars" adventure stip based on the movie, with cartoonist Russ Manning, later adding writers Steve Gerber and Roy Thomas.

Also by year's end, the LAT syndicate was launching the comic strip version of "Star Trek", the motion picture/television adventure-action hit. The strip is drawn and written by Thomas Warkentin, a science fiction artist-author.

The zany side of the world of television provided grist for two new strips, "Prime Time" by those fellows who do "Motley's Crew" and "Sporting Life"—Tom Forman and Ben Templeton"—and "John Darling" by Tom Armstrong and Tom Batiuk.

In early spring of 1979, King Features introduced its first new pantomime strip in 45 years since "The Little King" and "Henry" both appeared on the comics page. It is the creation of Vahan Shirvanian, with the title quite naturally "No Comment."

The Washington Post introduced its answer to "Doonesbury", which moved to the Washington Star, in a topical strip "Dupont Circle." It was launched in the newspaper as of September, with syndication from the Washington Post Writers Group at year's end. Henry Allen and Hatley Norton Mason III are the writer-cartoonist team. Executive editor Ben Bradlee is editing "Dupont Circle".

Yvonne Young Tarr, author of 17 cookbooks, borrowed comic strip format for two self-syndicated features, "The Quick Gourmet" and "Diet Gourmet". The West Coast Syndicate took on cartoonist Larry Gonick's "The Cartoon Kitchen", which had been running for a year in the San Francisco Bay Guardian.

Energy headlines provided the material for a new Sunday comics feature "Energy Wise" from the Register and Tribune Syndicate.

Field Newspaper Syndicated introduced a new western strip "Latigo" by Stan Lynde and "Albert Herbert Hawkins—the naughtiest boy in the world" by Frank Dickens.

In the re-launching department, "Buck Rogers' came back into the newspaper world from New York Times Sales Corporations's Special Features. The new version is written by James Duncan Lawrence and illustrated by Gray Morrow.

Meantime, more and more cartoonists are out there dreaming of making the big time just as Kevin Fagan proved could be done. United Features, Newspaper Enterprise Association, and King Features, have a form explaining how to go about submitting a feature.

But, as Bill Yates, King's comics editor, told a Spring seminar given by the Newspaper Comics Council: Don't send in one or two drawings. Submit a sustained sampling of work, usually two or three weeks of dailies and Sunday.

Ad sales efforts

Newspaper advertising executives will probably remember 1979 as the year the industry got up off its duff and made a serious attempt at regaining its once dominant share of national advertising.

Newsplan was probably the biggest news in newspaper advertising in 1979—it represented the industry's first real attempt at diffusing advertising agencies major complaint with newspapers—the steep rate differential between retail and national advertising. Newsplan, with the recent addition of the Ottaway Newspaper Group, now lists over 950 participating newspapers, according to the Newspaper Advertising Bureau's year-end projections.

Overall, newspaper advertising revenues held close to last year's projections, with the total of all national, retail and classified up 13% over 1978 to \$14.4 billion, according to NAB year-end projections. National (\$2.1 billion) rose 16% over 1978, as did classified (\$4.6 billion). Retail was: "stronger than expected," according to the Ad Bureau; it rose 11% to \$7.7 billion.

The bureau itself, after instituting several new projects and services and expanding others, rose up and partially out of its 8th floor quarters at 485 Lexington Ave. in New York City. Cramped for space, the bureau moved its Nabscan division to the 28th floor at the same address in June and is currently moving retail sales uptown to '575 Lexington Ave.

Nabscan was linked with scores of new, scanner equipped supermarkets. There are now 200 stores feeding scanner data into Nabscan from 20 firms in 36 markets.

Cando, the bureaus Computer Analyzed Newspaper Data On Line system, was wired up and programmed in 1979. It offered a service to advertisers never before available from the industry, but it has yet to generate widespread agency requests for information. Ad Bureau execs have been meeting with agency people throughout the country in the past few months in an attempt to persuade agencies to use the service, which was developed as a toll to facilitate multi-market newspaper buys in conjunction with Newsplan.

Later in the year, the bureau introduced One Order/One Bill, a computerized billing system which allows an advertiser to buy insert space for multinewspaper advertising schedules with one check. The service has been extended to several rop advertising accounts, but the bureau hasn't disclosed who the accounts are or why those accounts are afforded the service. The advertiser pays a fee to the bureau for the service.

The bureau's president, Jack Kauffman, did disclose his intentions to retire from his post in June of 1982. The disclosure came on the heels of an E&P October report that Kauffman was involved in an executive manhunt for a successor.

Another bureau exec, Walter Bills, vicepresident/retail for the Eastern Region, defected to the Television Bureau of Advertising in late summer.

Elsewhere in newspaper advertising, 1979 brought a U.S. District Court ruling that the *Providence* (R.I.) Journal had the right to refuse advertising space to apartment referral services. The *Village Voice* in New York refused to run ads for the services. A Manhattan weekly newspaper called *Our Town* conducted an investigation into referral services and later in the year reported on the arrest of several referral service entrepreneurs.

The Los Angeles Times saw the court case stemming from the Federal Trade Commission's challenge of its policy of offering volume discounts to advertisers get postponed, rescheduled and finally postponed indefinitely. The FTC also hammered out an agreement with several land sales firms by which the firms would pay some \$14 million in refunds to victims of allegedly deceptive land advertisements. The agency, which at year's end was visibly shaken by congressional efforts to tie its regulatory hands, sat on its 1979 report to Congress on the cigarette industry. That report, obtained by a reporter for the Winston-Salem (N.C.) Journal, reportedly calls for a federally-funded anti-cigarette all-media advertising campaign. And the FTC, in a report issued near year's end, disclosed that for the first time in industry history, over half the cigarette brands now on sale are of the low-tar variety.

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In the liquor industry, Seagrams Distillers announced plans to return to newspaper rop advertising. And Publicker Distillers Products announced that a significant portion of their ad budget was to be shifted from magazines to newspapers.

In an unusual promotion effort, the Galveston (Tex.) Daily News gave away free ad space to several ad agencies with major airline accounts to try and convince the agencies that the suburban newspaper could compete with Houston dailies in advertising pull.

Advertisers began calling on newspapers to provide readership data based on circulation by zip code. As explained by a J.C. Penney exec, zip code data is essential to an advertiser who wants to target a specific geographic area around

a store or chain of stores.

Advertising agencies continued to sharply criticize newspapers for making it difficult to plan and place schedules. Tom Reddy, vicepresident for newspaper planning for Willim Esty, Thurmond Pierce, vicepresident and print media manager for J. Walter Thompson and Jack Cohen, vicepresident/director of outdoor and print media buying for Dovle Dane Bernbach all attacked varied newspaper formats, which they contend have led to production problems serious enough to cost newspapers advertising dollars. Cohen, chairman of the 4A's Newspaper Committee, also had harsh words for papers which have all but abandoned the practice of giving 60 days notice of linage rate hikes in favor of 30 days notice or no notice at all. He also expressed fears that the 2% cash discount was again in jeopardy, an anxiety that was partially justified by the announcement that several newspapers, including many Knight-Ridder properties, were dropping the incentive for prompt payment.

Special sections and supplements became widely used advertising sales tools. Food and Real Estate sections sprang up in dailies all over the country. The Amarillo (Tex.) Globe ran a special section on horses that brought in 1,000 lines of advertising in one day. Fashions of the Times, the New York Times annual fashion section, ran 216 pages, 161 of them containing advertising. It generated \$1.6 million in revenues. Champion's onceyearly car care supplement ran in 550 newspapers and reached 31 million homes. Travel Illustrated, a slick magazine aimed at upscale readers, sold its first ads for its first edition, scheduled for late winter. Along with a Sports Illustrated project, the new magazine represented what may become a trend in home delivery of magazines through

newspapers.

The *Chicago Tribune* began targeting advertising to upscale readers in its Sunday Magazine.

Dentyne chewing gum arrived on 354,000 doorsteps inside the *Indianapolis Star*. DuPont advertised its paint by guaranteeing the paint, the painter and the job.

The Oklahoma Advertising Bureau found in its third annual statewide survey that ad readership was at a record high and that more shoppers were relying on newspapers for shopping information.

Some 35 newspapers in Canada put 2/3 of the nation's national advertising in the hands of a new advertising bureau, replacing both the Advertising Bureau of Canadian Daily Newspapers and Metromarket Newspapers Limited.

The St. Petersburg (Fla.) Times set a record in color—the newspaper carried 365 consecutive editions containing paid color advertising in the classified pages.

The California Newspaper Advertising Executives Association and the California Newspaper Publishers Association agreed to develop a standardized rate card for participating newspapers.

The St. Louis dailies, the *Post Dispatch* and the *Globe Democrat*, saw substantial portions of their supermarket advertising revenues go to a free circulation weekly group called the Suburban Newspapers of Greater St. Louis.

The Audit Bureau of Circulations tabled for a year a proposal to audit circulations of pennysavers and freecirculation publications with minimal debate.

The NAB sharply criticized newspaper sales staffs for allowing eager television sales people to wean American Motors Dealers advertising away from newspapers. It accused newspaper sales representatives of not selling the medium to local dealers.

Dolph Tillotson, publisher of the Oskaloosa (Ia.) Herald told colleagues to divide total linage by the number of accounts serviced. He said if the average tallies more than 35 column inches, it can be assumed that the newspaper needs an overhaul of rate and fee schedules to reduce average ad size and get more business from small accounts.

Herb Maneloveg, senior vicepresident at Della Femina Travisano & Partners apologized to the Advertising Club of New York for his role in developing the computer as a research tool. "We use our numbers like a drunk uses a lamppost," he said, "for support rather than for illuminations." He called on advertisers and agencies to rely less on numbers and more on gut feelings and one on one contacts. He called research "a shambles."

Magazine research was a shambles literally. The use of two different techniques in measuring audience data for magazines this year led to widely varying figures for magazine circulations. At this point, advertisers are ignoring both sets of figures.

The battle to recruit newspapers for the first industrywide national newspaper audience study was won by Three Sigma Research and Scarborough Research.

The NAB, with a next-day ad in the New York Times featuring Bill Rodgers, winner of the New York City Marathon, kicked off a marathon campaign designed to get newspapers throughout the country into similar efforts with local marathons.

Couponing continued to grow, with some 80 billion free-standing coupons expected to have run by Dec. 31 in newspapers. But the 20% of those 80 billion expected to be fraudulently redeemed, coupon industry experts began warning newspapers that couponing in a particular market may fall victim to unusually high ripoff rates. The ABC studied the possibility of establishing a coupon distribution verification service.

Media Corporation of America, a media buying service, collapsed before the eyes of incredulous creditors who had run ads for Lorillard and Singer Co. products but had never been paid. The company was cringing under a \$10 million debt when Lorillord, which had already paid for the ad space, offered a \$6 million settlement and the Singer Co, which had also paid for the space contracted for, offered 28¢ on each dollar owned for Singer ads.

Merger fever swept the agencies in 1979, with large agencies like Young & Rubicam and J. Walter Thompson gobbling up smaller and mid sized shops and expanding overseas operations.

From Washington . . .

Poet Robert Frost once observed, "Isn't it funny that anything the Supreme Court says is right?"

In the year 1979, however, the nation's journalists have loudly disagreed, especially after the Supreme Court on July 2 handed down its court lockout decision in the Gannett Co. case, the year's biggest press story from Washington.

By a 5-4 vote, it will be recalled, the justices decided neither press nor public had a constitutional right to attend a criminal trial if a judge thought it might infringe on a fair trial for the defendant. Or was it only a pre-trial hearing the high court sought to protect from public knowledge?

The justices themselves couldn't agree. Chief Justice Warren E. Burger said the decision applied only to pre-trial proceedings. Justice Harry A. Blackmun said, no, it applied to actual trials. Justice Lewis F. Powell, Jr. said it was premature to say what it applied to and Justice John Paul Stevens, in more philosophic mood, tried to quiet media criticism by outlining the court's views on access as opposed to right to publish.

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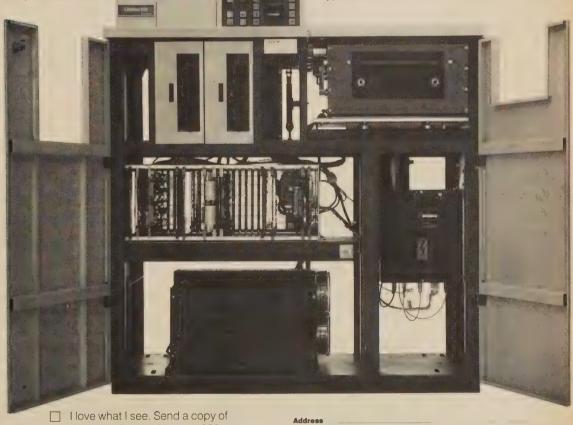
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Reedy: Put partisan politics back on the editorial page

Believing that America's newspapers are suffering from a loss of "clout" with the public, a Nieman professor of journalism in a recent address called on the newspaper industry "to dedicate itself to a restoration of partisan voices."

"Centralization (of the newspaper industry) has been accompanied by an abandonment of the contentious politicking that characterized American journalism from its very beginnings until recent times," contended George Reedy, Nieman professor of journalism at Marquette University, who was press secretary to President Lyndon Johnson. "The American newspaper today does very little to exert political leadership in our society. Journalism has developed into a service profession. It seeks to provide its readers with unexceptional information."

The result of this lack of political leadership on the part of the press, according to Reedy, is that the increasing concentration of ownership in the industry has not produced an increase in the power of newspapers.

"The newspaper of today," he maintained "does not carry the clout that

characterized the newspaper of forty years ago."

He asserted that a centralized newspaper "cannot resist the standardization that goes with concentration . . . because mass technology demands redundancy for its effectiveness."

Noting that in the past an editorial by William Randolph Hearst was enough to "send hundreds or even thousands into the streets" to picket a clinic accused of practicing vivisection, Reedy wondered, "will the good burghers of Milwaukee take to the streets and march on city hall because of an editorial in the Journal?"

After he recalled that the *Chicago Tribune* used to label all Democrats as 'radicals' and Republicans as ''American,'' Reedy asked, ''Can the Tribune launch the formation of committees to 'oust King George' from the Chicago public school system? The Chicago Tribune of today is indistinguishable from any other middle of the road newspaper.''

The disappearance of partisanship lies at the root of the rise in public criticism of the press, he believes and stated, "Partisans no longer have what they regard as an 'objective' voice for their concerns. A few decades ago when newspapers were openly partisan and had influence, they (the readers) could always find at least one newspaper which in their view was objective."

To solve the problem, Reedy advocated that the newspaper industry "concentrate on the development of alternative media to fill the need for partisan voices" and commit "its resources to such project."

He argues that "the economic realities which inhibit the competitive possibilities of large-scale papers" prevents the metro dailies from returning to partisan roles.

Cable television and community magazines and newspapers offer two possible avenues of partisan expression, Reedy suggested. He asked the newspaper industry to establish a foundation to encourage partisan journalism and to form a legal defense fund to aid the partisan press in libel suits. He also said the industry should determine if there are any "restrictive practices in newsprint and other technical facilities which work against the little man."

Reporter wins right to protect source

Reporters may not be required to disclose their news sources to federal civil cases unless the information is essential and cannot be obtained elsewhere, a federal appeals court ruled (December 19) in Philadelphia.

The U.S. Third Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that U.S. District Judge Alfred L. Luongo erred in August when he jailed *Delaware County Daily Times* reporter Geraldine Oliver on civil contempt charges.

Ms. Oliver was held in federal custody for about seven hours before being re-

She was held in contempt of court Oct. 29 by U.S. District Court Judge Alfred Luongo for refusing to reveal the identity of her source or sources for an Aug. 22 news story about Riley's record on the police force.

The story and an accompanying article under Ms. Oliver's byline detailed several unfavorable encounters between Riley and his superiors.

In its opinion, the appeals court Judge, Dolores Sloviter concluded:

"Of most significance, the information sought to be disclosed appears to have only marginal relevance to the plaintiff's (Riley's) case.

"The suit charges that defendants, in order to hinder and impede plaintiff's efforts to conduct his election campaign, harassed plaintiff by keeping him under surveillance and conducting repeated in-

vestigations into his job peformance.

"The news story referred to investigations completed long before the election campaign began.

"This is simply a situation where a journalist has been called as a witness to a civil suit in which neither she nor her employer has any personal interest."

The ruling marked the first time that the Third Circuit, which handles federal appeals in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and the Virgin Islands, has recognized such a privilege for reporters, according to Sam Klein, an attorney who intervened in the case on behalf of the First Amendment Coalition. The coalition represents more than 60 newspapers, radio and TV stations.

Judge Sloviter ruled, however, that the privilege must be determined on a case-by-case basis.

Ad exec to run KOA campground

Formerly executive vicepresident of Ketchum, MacLeod & Grove, Inc., advertising agency in Pittsburgh and other cities, Roy Wilson is transferring business interest to a campground he is building in Fort Stockton, Texas. Wilson will operate the business as a unit of Kampgrounds of America, commonly known as "KOA." The trailer park/campground will be one of only three such facilities of the nationally known organization on the 743-mile highway stretch between San Antonio/Houston and El Paso.

Foundation doubles scholarship grants

Oregon Newspapers Foundation in 1980 will double the number of grants it awards to college journalism students and increase the amount of each grant by 75% from last year.

The Foundation, a sister corporation of Oregon Newspaper Publishers Association, will award up to eight \$500 scholarships in 1980. Applications were distributed to the state's colleges, universities and community colleges this month.

ONF was founded in 1978 to further the education of journalism students, and to help finance journalism educational programs.

Its board of directors also voted to continue to cosponsor a matching grant with ONPA to Newspapers In Education. The \$1,000 total gift from the two organizations was awarded to the Oregon Department of Education this month.

Sponsors Yule show

WNCN, FM radio station in New York, programmed 24 hours of Christmas music, without commercial interruption, starting at 7 p.m. on December 24. The special Christmas programming was sponsored by the *New York Daily News*. The News personalized the program with on-air holiday messages from its staff members and columnists.

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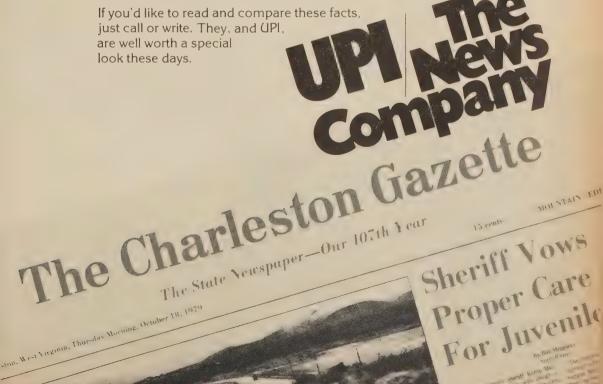
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Editor-reporter team unearth medical scandal

An Arkansas editor working with a reporter from another newspaper recently uncovered one of the most astounding medical scandals in the state's history, according to the Arkansas Department of Public Safety Director who called the exposé "Arkansas" Watergate."

The story began when a bereaved mother from Beebe. Ark., called Mike Masterson, executive editor of the *Hot Springs Sentinel-Record* to explain continuing concerns about the death of her

daughter a year earlier.

Millicent Lynn, 30, had in May, 1978 apparently driven 120 miles from Beebe to a lake near Hot Springs and jumped in the water to commit suicide. She had been missing five days when her body floated to the surface of Lake Ouachita and was discovered.

The state's former medical examiner, Dr. Stephen Marx, performed an autopsy in Little Rock that same afternoon. He ruled the woman died of "suicide by drowning" and he described a gaping hole in the crown of her head as being "post mortem, probably caused by a boat propeller."

The body was buried and the case was forgotten by everyone except the parents, who continued to pester authorities with their belief that the daughter had been murdered.

Masterson agreed to check as far as he could for the family and soon he had uncovered many unresolved questions about the woman's sudden death. "I knew after two weeks that the ramifications of the girl's death could have far reaching effects for the entire state," he said. "I also knew I couldn't properly do what needed to be done out of Hot Springs by myself, so I called the Arkansas Democrat in Little Rock and asked if they could assign a reporter to work with me."

Clay Bailey, a police reporter who had come to the Democrat from the Jackson (Miss.) *Daily News* a few months earlier, took the assignment.

In the course of their joint investigation during the next two weeks, the two reporters discovered several shocking facts:

—That former medical examiners had been burning the internal organs of those they autopsied without informing relatives.

—That two assistants who were not doctors and who had no formal education in medicine (a former air conditioning repairman and former radio dispatcher) had ruled in more than 150 homicides in 18 months and had even signed death certificates.

—That virtually no tissue samples had

been retained in many homicide and accidental death cases examined by the office for more than a decade.

But the most significant facts came to light after the continuing series of articles about the woman's drowning prompted state authorities to exhume Millicent Lynn's body. The Memphis medical examiner working alongside Dr. F.A. Malak, Arkansas' new medical examiner, discovered the woman had been shot through the head and the questionable hole in her crown was actually the exit wound for a large-caliber bullet.

As they continued to probe, Masterson and Bailey managed to obtain conclusive information which proved that the sudden death of a Cummins State Prison inmate nine months earlier also had been misruled by the former medical examiner.

In a copyrighted story, Masterson and Bailey wrote that the exhumation of inmate Thomas Richard Fuller's body and a reexamination by impartial doctors would show that the inmate had not died of ''natural causes attributed to myocarditis'' (heart infection) as Dr. Marx had earlier ruled. Other stories followed.

When a prosecutor living near the prison balked at exhuming the inmate's body for a second look the Governor of Arkansas ordered that job done and organized a task force to probe the past practices of the medical examiner office.

Dr. Robert Stein, chief medical examiner in Chicago, assisted Dr. Fahmy Malak in the second examination of Fuller's body. They documented specifically what the reporters had reported the inmate had died a violent death of "manual strangulation in association with fractured cervical vertebrae."

A prison guard had been linked directly to a "friendly" scuffle with the dead inmate when Fuller collapsed and died (at 1:30 a.m. outside of his barracks).

A subsequent grand jury was empaneled by the prison-area prosecutor and he presided over a five-day hearing which failed to indict the guard on a felony or a misdemeanor. The Governor had already publicly called for the immediate termination of the guard in question and the prison board had unexplainedly refused to oblige.

On the second day of grand jury proceedings, hurried subpoenas were drawn up by the prosecutor and served on Masterson and Bailey as they covered the hearings. Masterson was the only one called into chambers. "They kept me in there 40 minutes and gained absolutely nothing," he said. "It was obviously a crude and obvious attempt to chill our coverage of the event and to repay us in kind"

The next day, the reporters discovered and reported that among the grand jurors was an aunt of one Cummins prison guard who had already been disciplined for brutalizing inmates. It was also learned a second male juror had a son

serving on the jury who worked at the prison.

In all, Masterson and Bailey wrote more than 150 stories and editorials in connection with the Lynn and Fuller deaths. Two other bodies also were exhumed and those too, were shown to have been victims of faulty original cause-of-death rulings by former medical examiner personnel.

A significant number of changes in the state prison system have since been implemented by gubernatorial order and there have been numerous changes in the operation and staff of the Arkansas Medical Examiner's office.

"The ordeal has lasted five months," Masterson said, "but the frustration level remains high. When you have to depend on the state investigating itself in a thoroughly political environment, it's a steep hill with no end in sight."

Series shows abuses in retirement system

A five-part investigative series in the San Francisco Examiner has resulted in a number of efforts to reform the city's troubled retirement system for municipal employees.

The series, the product of five months' of reporting by staff writer James A. Finefrock, reported that abuse of the disability provisions of the system cost an estimated \$2 million a year and that spiralling costs of the entire system threatened to force San Francisco into bankruptcy. Many former policemen and firemen receive lucrative disability pensions while holding down well-paying jobs, the newspaper reported.

Following publication of the series, Mayor Dianne Feinstein ordered retirement system officials to investigate all cases of apparent abuse cited by the Examiner and to review all disability claims on a regular basis.

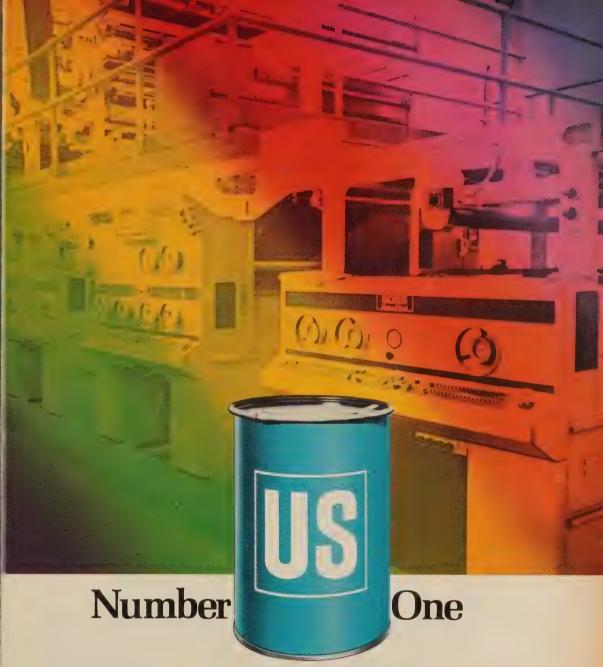
In addition, Danial Mattroce, general manager of the retirement system, announced that pension payments would be withheld from former cops and firemen who did not submit to medical reexamination. A ballot proposition also was proposed to lessen the influence of employee members of the Retirement Board, which passes on disability applications.

Saying he had been "energized" by the Examiner series, Police Chief Charles Gain announced formation of a "benefits abuse unit" to "make sure people in the department aren't abusing the disability system."

Saturday edition

The adding of a Saturday edition at the *Texas City Daily Sun* gives the paper a seven-day publishing schedule. Harvey Prichard is publisher of the newspaper in the City on the Gulf Coast.

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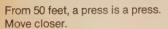
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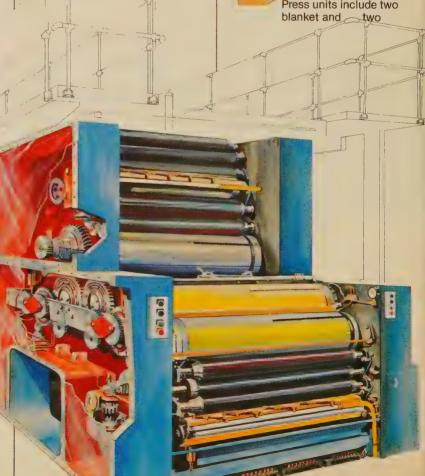
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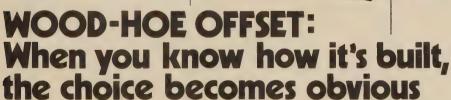
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Groups gain 48 in sales of 53 dailies in '79

To comply with a court decision, William H. Rudolph and his family had a choice—a daily newspaper or a radio station license. They elected to keep the station WKAI and sell the *Macomb* (Ill.) *Journal* (circulation 11,700) to Park Newspapers.

A short time later, the Federal Communications Commission extended the time for five other "egregious" crossowners to make a similar decision. They all own radio or tv stations in the same market with their newspapers—Anniston, Ala.; Albany, Ga.; Mascon City, Ia.; Watertown, N.Y., and Owosso, Mich. They have until June 1, 1980 to sell one or the other property.

The Macomb Journal was one of the 53 daily newspapers whose ownership changed in 1979, and 48 of them went into groups. Park Newspapers, based at thaca, N.Y. made four acquisitions. Gannett Company added three, with a fourth sale pending consummation. Hearst Corp. picked up three dailies from Lee Enterprises which had purchased them and two others from the Lindsay-Schaub group. Multimedia and Nixon groups also added three units.

Two groups were dissolved— Lindsay-Schaub, which sold five papers and folded two others; and Carter Glass Newspapers which moved into the Worrell group.

Fargo Forum became a new member of the group list which includes common ownership of two or more dailies in different markets. The Forum bought the West Central Tribune at Willmar, Minn.

Following are the transactions involving daily newspapers reported to E&P:

ALASKA

Anchorage Daily News

Morning 12,500 Mon.-Fri. Katherine Fanning to McClatchy Newspapers (80%)

ARIZONA

Tempe Daily News

Evening, 12,000
Mrs. Irma L. Connolly to Cox Enterprises

CALIFORNIA

Pittsburg Post-Dispatch

Evening 8,600 Mon.-Fri Worrell Newspapers to Dean Lesher

Lompoc Record
Evening 9,000 Mon-Fri.

Mrs. A. James McCollum to Donrey Media Group

San Rafael Independent-Journal

Evening 46,000

Wishard A. Brown and others to Gannett Company Price: About \$35 million

COLORADO

Grand Junction Daily Sentinel

Evening 27,000; Sunday 30,000 Kenneth E. Johnson to Cox Enterprises

CONNECTICUT

Hartford Courant

Morning 215,000; Sunday 285,000 Hartford Courant Co. to Times Mirror Co. Price: \$105,600,000

FLORIDA

Winter Haven News Chief Evening 15,500; Sunday 16,600

Rynerson family to Multimedia Corp. Price: \$18,600,000 (includes *Moultrie*

Observer)

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Editorial

Letters. Thousands of letters, from teens and parents. We got them—and the newspapers participating with us last year—when we published 1.5 million copies weekly—got them.

Why? Because our format—and our features—attract the teens. We talk about their problems: drug abuse, early sex, teen pregnancy, alcoholism. We wrap it in their music—their idols—sports, career and college information.

Bob Estes publisher of the Marmation (Kansas) Sun, said it all: "I've run a lot of different features and special material and only found out if the reader liked it by asking or running a survey. Youth Beat is completely different. People came up to

me, and wrote, always favorably. Several youngsters mentioned the fact that it wasn't 'written down,' but the most interesting comment came from a man here. 'I first started reading it to see what kind of thing my granddaughter was reading. Then I found that I really enjoyed reading the articles and it gave me something to talk about with the grandchildren. It gave us a subject of discussion about things we were both interested in.'"

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Walsh. "They're going to have to be more contemporary and more attentive to the issues that interest young people unless they want to lose a large part of an entire generation to broadcasting." And the same Ad age further quotes Joseph Newman, vice-president media director at Marsteller: "Newspaper's failure to capture the youth market is very serious. . . . We know the high schoolers aren't reading much and we know the young working adults aren't reading as much as they used to—they're more radio and TV oriented."

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today's kids-every day.

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activist citizens. Instead of relegating this responsibility to the new person in the city room, with a token school program, or column, or endless study—use us to bring these kids into the newspaper reading habit. Fulltime. This is not only a local public service commitment—it will benefit the national community.

Some Statistics

60% of the mothers of teen girls work. Teens do the family food shopping—including coupon redemption—and the cooking. 99% of teen girls use fragrance—and 4 out of 5 give it as gifts. These "kids" spent about six billion dollars on clothes, footwear and accessories; 4 billion on "outerwear"; almost a "billion on innerwear."

66% have part time jobs—almost all have no rent to pay—no major living expenses—and free groceries. Seventeen's July 1979 Market Fact Sheet quotes these figures for girls 13-19: estimated annual income from earnings and allowance: \$14,932,000; teen girls account for 35.7% of all food dollars spent by their families; 51.2% have personal store charge accounts or use of one; 90% have a personal bank account.

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160 take part in forum on DePasquale rule

Since the Supreme Court's Gannett v. De Pasquale decision, about 100 motions to close pre-trial proceedings have been introduced around the country and about half of them have been granted, a University of Hawaii law professor noted at a Honolulu conference on the controversial issue.

The speaker, Jon Van Dyke, said that only one instance exists where the U.S. Supreme Court reversed a conviction simply on the presumption of prejudice arising from pre-trial publicity of a criminal case—*Rideau v. Louisiana* in 1963.

Van Dyke was one of 160 participants in the December 1 forum which brought together judges, editors, reporters, attorneys, prosecutors, administrators and faculty and students from the University of Hawaii School of Law. More than forty judges, including Hawaii Supreme Court Chief Justice William S. Richardson, took part in the session.

The forum was sponsored by the Hawaii Committee for the Humanities and several news organizations, chief among them the Gannett Pacific Corporation, publishers of the Honolulu Star-Bulletin; Hawaii Newspaper Agency and its HNA Charities program. HNA provides production, business, advertising and circulation services for the Star-Bulletin and Honolulu Advertiser.

Van Dyke said an ominous cloud has hung over public trials as a result of the De Pasquale ruling but he saw a ray of light in a November decision by the New York State Court of Appeals which unanimously reversed a trial judge's ruling to bar all reporters and spectators from the courtroom in a 1978 pretrial hearing on a rape charge.

The U.S. Supreme Court upheld a New York Court of Appeals ruling that the press and public should be excluded from the pre-trial hearing in the De Pasquale case.

Van Dyke, who teaches constitutional law and is the author of the book "Jury Selection Procedures", said that actions such as sequestering the jury, careful voir doir, change of venue, trial delay and careful instructions to jurors should be taken by judges before moving to methods that threaten First Amendment values. Chief Justice Richardson observed that the 5-4 De Pasquale decision by the Supreme Court has spawned divergent interpretations and reactions.

One reaction has been that judges across the country, relying on De Pasquale, have begun increasingly to close to the press and public pretrial hearings and entire trials as well. Richardson added that the conflict doesn't lend itself to an easy, clear-cut resolution because it in-

volves balancing of two important but competing constitutional claims—the criminal defendant's Sixth Amendment rights to a trial by an impartial jury and the First Amendment guarantee of a Free Press

Press.
Other speakers noted that no convictions delivered by Hawaii juries have ever been reversed on the basis of preju-

dicial pretrial publicity.

Richard H. Schmidt, Jr. of Washington DC, general counsel for the American Society of Newspaper Editors, praised the news media, lawyers and judges for arranging the seminar. He urged Hawaii to join other states in establishing joint press-bar committees to deal with such issues as open courtroom proceedings. He noted that such a committee in Washington State effectively operates as a fire brigade to handle such conflicts.

Also participating in the forum were Hawaii's three commercial stations, its all-news radio station, wire service representatives, neighboring island newspapers, the Honolulu Media Counsel, the University of Hawaii Journalism Programme, the American Civil Liberties Union and number of smaller special interest publications. KGMB filmed the proceedings for a record which will be available as a teaching aid.

The event featured two scenarios in which law school students argued for and against closing courtroom proceedings in hypothetical cases involving the drunk driving arrest of a prominent citizen (whose passenger was a stripper) and a young robbery suspect who confessed to police minutes after his arrest.

Christopher S. Dix, general counsel for the Hawaii Newspaper Agency, headed the committee that organized the forum.

FCC ruling allows new daily paper

A ruling by the Federal Communications Commission cleared the way for a new daily newspaper in the San Francisco Bay area.

The decision allows Thomas L. Berkley, owner of four weeklies—the Oakland Post, Berkeley Post, Richmond Post and San Francisco Post—to convert the Oakland Post to a daily. The four weeklies have a combined circulation of 94,000.

FCC approval was required because Berkley owns a 10% interest in a radio station with no voting rights or management responsibilities. This arrangement, the FCC ruled, would not violate the crossownership regulation which bars common ownership of a broadcasting station and a daily newspaper in the same market.

The FCC policy does not apply to newspapers that publish three days or less a week.

Photog's libel award set aside by Calif. judge

A \$401,000 damage suit won by a photographer against her former employer, the *Stockholm* (Calif) *Record* (E&P, December I) has been set aside by a Superior Court judge.

In a 49-page decision December 17, Judge Chris Papas declared that Elizabeth Sunflower's claim that she had suffered "severe emotional and mental stress" intentionally inflicted by another photographer and two editors was unsupported by the evidence.

Papas also overturned the jury's finding that Sunflower had been slandered by then city editor Richard Rasmusson who, she claimed, called her a "liar."

The jury had awarded the woman \$200,000 punitive damages against the Record; David Evans, another staff photographer; Rasmusson and retired managing editor N. S. Demotte for intentional harassment, and \$50,000 punitive damages against the company and Rasmusson on the slander charge.

The total award also included \$125,000 compensatory damages on the harassment charge and \$1,000 nominal damages and \$25,000 compensatory damages on the slander accusation.

Judge Papas described the punitive damages as excessive, adding, "In the court's judgment, these damages were awarded because of passion and prejudice and are unsupported by the preponderance of evidence."

He granted all the defendants a new

Sunflower, who was fired by the paper in June, 1974, can appeal the judge's overthrowing of the verdict, second largest ever returned in a San Joaquin County civil case.

Judge Papas said the jury apparently did not understand the evidence presented at the four-week trial or his legal instructions in which he pointed out that the statute involving damages for emotional distress states that awards can be made only for "outrageous" behavior.

The judge also admitted that he himself erred in not reporting during the trial that the workman's compensation appeals board has exclusive jurisdiction over Sunflower's battery claim against Evans.

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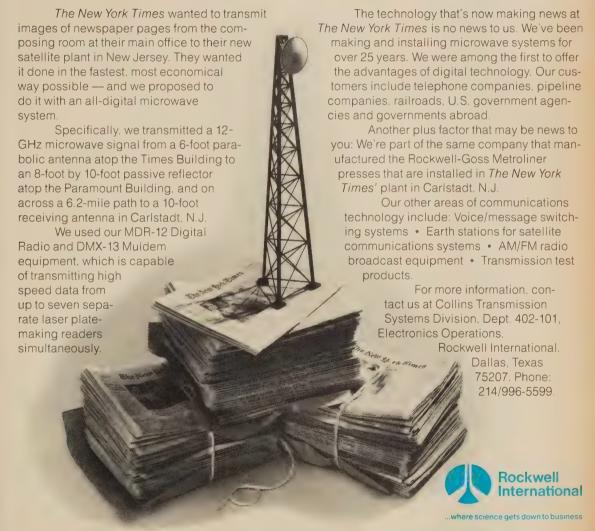
Stop-N-Shop, a Cleveland-based, 34store food chain has retained Kinsey, Furnas & French, Inc. to coordinate all broadcast advertising.

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The latest words in communications: Rockwell-Collins.

Newspeople in the news

EARL HOLBROOK, formerly acting news editor of the Los Angeles Herald-Examiner, news editor of Daily Variety and women's editor of the Los Angeles Times, is the new managing editor of Texas Girl magazine.

IRVING J. LEVINE, who worked as night city editor of the New York World Telegram & Sun and later as business editor and a managing editor of the Westchester-Rockland (N.Y.) Newspapers, has been appointed director, communication services, for Con Edison.

Levine has been assistant director, public information since joining Con Edison in 1973.

ARTHUR CARLSON, former national ad manager for the *Green Bay* (Wisc.) *Press-Gazette* and Ellen Zettel, former reporter for the same paper, have joined the staff of the *Green Bay News Chronicle*. Carlson will be national ad manager and Zettel will be a reporter.

James Urice has been named vicepresident and midwest sales manager at Parade Publications, Inc. Urice served as midwest sales manager for Redbook for 13 years prior to his appointment at Parade.

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Meisner

MARY Jo MEISNER has been named the first woman city editor in the history of the *Philadelphia Daily News*. Meisner joined the Daily News, a Knight-Ridder Newspaper, in January of 1979 as a labor and general assignment reporter. Her husband, Marty Gradel, is assistant sports editor of the *Philadelphia Inquirer* and her father-in-law, Joe Gradel, has been a member of the Inquirer's library staff for 42 years.

Sonja Craig will join the *Billings* (Mont.) *Gazette* as general manager effective March 1. She has been personnel manager of Madison Newspapers, Inc. in Madison, Wisconsin since 1972.

Wally Tate was appointed to head the newly created marketing department of the *Torrance* (Calif.) *Daily Breeze*. Tate, who has been an ad salesman for 13½ years, will be in charge of developing specialized media and demographic information.

HOWARD PACKER will replace Tate as manager for financial and cooperative advertising. He joined the Daily Breeze 3½ years ago as an ad salesman.

DOROTHY RODERICK, who has worked for Guy Gannett for 43 years, plans to retire. She is currently national ad director for Guy Gannett's Portland newspapers.

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Joan Tarrant, business manager of Gulf Publishing Co., Biloxi, Mississippi, was recently promoted to director of finance and operations. Her new duties will include directing activities in accounting, data processing, building, maintenance and four production departments. She has worked for the company for 26 years.

Bernard Campanella was appointed manager of newsroom administration of the Watertown (N.Y.) Daily Times. He joined the Times staff in June as a copy editor. In his new post, he will be responsible for the daily assignments of reporters and coordination of the activities of all of the news bureaus of the Times.

Fields to head-up Allbritton's papers

Gene Fields has been named president and chief executive officer of the newspaper division of Allbritton Communications Company, it was announced last week by Joe L. Allbritton, president and chairman of the company.

Fields, who is 41, began his duties January 2, succeeding W. Dean Singleton, who was recently named executive vice president of Allbritton Communications, headquartered in Washington, D.C. Fields will have his headquarters in Paterson, N.J., where two of the five Allbritton newspapers are located—the Morning and Evening News.

The other Allbritton dailies are the Hudson Dispatch in Union City, N.J.; the Westfield (Mass.) Evening News; and the Amherst (Mass.) Morning Record.

Fields, formerly general manager of the Texarkana, Texas Newspapers, Inc., began his 20-year newspaper career with the Donrey Media Group in 1959.

Kamm named editor of Cleveland Press

Herb Kamm has succeeded Tom Boardman as editor of the Cleveland Press.

Boardman retired December 31 after more than 40 years with Scripps-Howard Newspapers, including 14 years as editor of the Cleveland Press.

"We regret losing Tom Boardman, but he has chosen to take early retirement so we wish him well," said Gordon Hanna, vicepresident and general editorial manager of Scripps-Howard Newspapers.

Kamm joined the Cleveland Press staff 11 years ago as an associate editor. He wrote a daily and weekly column and conducts interview programs on local tv.

Kamm came to Cleveland from New York, where he was managing editor of the World-Telegram and executive editor of the World Journal Tribune. He has also worked as news editor of the Newark (N.J.) bureau of the Associated Press.

Tom Brown, general manager of the Missoula (Mont.) Missoulian since 1976, was named publisher. Brown, 32, succeeds John Talbot, who had been publisher since 1970. Talbot has resumed his duties as operations manager of Lee's Western Newspaper Group following an 8 month sabbatical leave.

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WILLIAM STUBBLEFIELD, Denver manager for Branham for the past 11 years, was elected a vicepresident of Branham and assistant Western regional manager. He will move to Branham's Los Angeles office this month.

DOROTHY L. FISHER, formerly Disneyland public relations director, and of the staffs of newspapers in Texas, California and New Orleans—named city editor of the *Henderson* (Tex.) News city editor.

GARY J. AUGSBURGER, formerly of the Casper (Wyo.) Star Tribune—named circulation manager of the Orange (Tex.) Leader.

Victor H. Hanson II succeeds his father

Victor H. Hanson II is the new president of the Birmingham News Co., publisher of the Birmingham (Ala.) News, the Huntsville (Ala.) Times and the Huntsville News and agent for the Birmingham Post-Herald.

Hanson, 49, succeeds his father, Clarence B. Hanson Jr., who assumed the title of chairman of the board. The younger Hanson will continue in his post as general manager of the company.



Victor Hanson

The younger Hanson is the third member of the family to hold the title of president of the company.

Clarence B. Hanson's uncle, Victor H. Hanson, became president of the firm in 1910.

Victor Hanson had served as vicepresident and general manager of the Birmingham News Co since 1961. He has also been a director of the company during that period.

Trenton Times realigns execs

Edward Padilla, who joined the Washington Post Company in January 1978 as vicepresident of the newspaper division, has been named president and publisher of the *Trenton* (N.J.) *Times*, which is owned by the Post Co.

At the same time, there has been a realignment of management at the Trenton Times, with three vicepresidents being appointed.

The new vicepresidents include Robert Bentley, Times' editor; James Bennett, operations director; and Angus Twombly, marketing director.

Padilla said the trio were named vicepresidents to "properly reflect their increasing roles in the future of the Trenton Times."



Edward Padilla

Padilla will continue in his post of corporate vicepresident and head of the newspaper division. In this role, he has corporate responsibility for the Trenton Times and the Everett (Wash.) Herald, for all newsprint purchasing of the company, for Robinson Terminal Warehouse Corporation, Alexandria, Va., and for the company's affiliation with Bowater Mersey Paper Co., Ltd., and Bear Island Paper Co.

Previously he had been president and general manager of the Sacramento (Calif.) Union and had worked for the Miami Herald.

Bentley is in charge of all news and editorial matters. Bennett's assignments have included all manufacturing and maintenance operations and are being expanded to include all data processing systems. Twombly has been responsible for circulation promotion and in addition will be responsible for all advertising departments.

Jack Kenny was appointed co-publisher of the Napa Valley (Calif.) Weekly Calistogan. Prior to joining the Calistogan in 1974, Kenny owned and operated his own public relations firm and ad agency in San Francisco.



Longley

Marjorie Longley, circulation sales manager for the *New York Times*, has been promoted to circulation sales director. Her new position carries expanded responsibilities for developing home delivery systems in the New York metro and Northeast regions, similar to the service she is directing in the Boston area.

AUSBORN BRUCE WILLIAMS, who supervised sales contractors in the Boston project, will become Northeast regional home delivery manager and RALPH JOHNSON, the Times' home delivery manager, was given new responsibility for an expanded department that will increase home delivery circulation in the metro area.

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Moutrie Observer

Evening 8,000; Mon.-Sat. Mr. and Mrs. Max Nussbaum to Multimedia Corp.

ILLINOIS

Carbondale Southern Illinoisan Evening 32,000; Sunday 36,400

Lindsay-Schaub Newspapers to Lee Enterprises Price: \$60,400,000 (includes four other dailies)

Consultant: Vincent J. Manno

Decatur Herald & Review

Morning-Evening 65,000; Sunday Lindsay-Schaub Newspapers

to Lee Enterprises

Price: Part of \$60.4 million package. Consultant: Vincent J. Manno.

Edwardsville Intelligencer

Evening 7,800

Lindsay-Schaub Newspapers to Lee Enterprises

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Hoopeston Chronicle Herald

Evening 2,500; Mon.-Fri. Thomas E. Mills to Nixon Newspapers

Macomb Daily Journal

Evening 11,700 Rudolph family to Park Newspapers

Watseka Times Republic

Evening 3,400; Mon.-Fri. Iroquois Newspapers to Nixon Newspapers

INDIANA

Attica Ledger Tribune

Evening 2.000: Mon.-Fri. Fountain-Warren Publishers to Nixon Newspapers

Mount Vernon Democrat

Evening 4,200 Garth and Martha Whipple to Landmark Communications

Princeton Daily Clarion

Evening 7,000; Mon.-Fri. Cochran Newspapers to W.J. McGiffin Newspaper Co. Broker: John A. Park Jr.

Rensselaer Republican

Evening 3,700 Keith B. Robinson to Dear Publication & Radio

IOWA

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Evening 7,500 Lew Warren, Mike Mahoney et al to Thomson Newspapers

KANSAS

Atchison Daily Globe

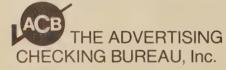
Evening 6,700; Sunday 7,000 Paul Allingham to Thomson Newspapers

Colby Free Press

Morning 4,300 Ronald H. Brown to Seaton Group Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

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KENTUCKY

Ashland Independent

Evening 26,000; Sunday 27,300 J.T. Norris et al to Ottaway Newspapers (Dow Jones &

Consultants: Gray and Maurice Henry

MASSACHUSETTS

North Adams Transcript

Evening 13,000 Affiliated Publications to Ingersoll Publications Price: \$5,000,000.

Waltham Tribune

Evening 13,600 Skakle family to Post Corporation

MICHIGAN

Bad Axe Huron Tribune

Evening 9,000; Mon.-Fri. Lindsay-Schaub Inc. to Lee Enterprises Price: Part of \$60.4 million package. Consultant: Vincent J. Manno.

Midland News

Evening 16,800 Lindsay-Schaub Inc. to Lee Enterprises Price: Part of \$60.4 million package. Consultant: Vincent J. Manno.

Midland News

Lee Enterprises to Hearst Corporation Price: Part of \$16 million package. Consultant: Vincent J. Manno.

Sturgis Journal

Evening, 10,504 Green Bay Newspaper Co. to Gannett Co. Inc.

MINNESOTA

Willmar West Central Tribune

Evening 19,000 O.B. Auguston to Fargo Forum Publishing Co. Broker: Joseph N. Wells Co.

Bemedji Pioneer

Evening and Sunday 7,000 J.G. Scripps and Nicholas Ifft to Pioneer Newspapers

NEW MEXICO

Los Alamos Monitor

Evening 4,400; Sunday 4,500 EDITOR & PUBLISHER for January 5, 1980 Mr. and Mrs. H. Markley McMahon to Landmark Communications Consultant: Robert T. Houk (Dean Sellers)

Portales News Tribune

Evening 3,900; Sunday 4,100 Marshall Stinnett to Carmage Walls Group

NEW YORK

Buffalo Courier Express

Morning 127,000; Sunday 257,000 Conners family to Minneapolis Star & Tribune Co.

NORTH CAROLINA

Newton Observer-News-Enterprise

Evening 4,800; Mon.-Fri.
Mebane family
to Park Newspapers
Broker: John A. Park, Jr. and Associates

Statesville Record & Landmark

Evening 17,000 Huskins and Middlesworth to Park Newspapers

OHIO

Ironton Tribune

Evening 9,000; Sunday 10,000 Syd S. Gould et al to Boone Newspapers

OKLAHOMA

Duncan Banner

Evening 11,000; Sunday 12,000 Jim Morris to Robert O. Morton

Oklahoma (City) Journal

Morning 41,000; Sunday 41,000 Oklahoma Journal Inc. to Early California Industries, Portland, Ore

Sapulpa Daily Herald

Evening 8,500; Sunday 8,700 E.K. and Melba Livermore to Park Newspapers

PENNSYLVANIA

Beaver Falls-New Brighton News Tribune

Evening 18,500 William and John Northrup to Calkins Newspapers

Lebanon News

Evening 29,000
Sansone and Wilder families to Richard M. Scaife

State College-Bellefonte Centre Daily Times

Evening 21,000 Charles T. Aikens II et al to Knight-Ridder Publications Price: \$14,500,000

TENNESSEE

Nashville Banner

Evening 83,000 Gannett Company to Brownlee O. Currey Jr, Irby Simpkins Jr and John Jay Hooker Jr Price \$25,000,000

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Nashville Tennessean

Morning 130,000; Sunday 230,000 Evans family to Gannett Company Price: \$50,000,000

TEXAS

Kilgore News Herald

Evening 6,000; Sunday 7,000 Charles K. Devall to Donrey Media Group

VIRGINIA

Alexandria Gazette

Evening 16,000 State-Record Co. to Edward Neilan et al Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

Culpeper Star-Exponent

Morning 7,300 Carter Glass & Sons to Worrell Newspapers

Lynchburg News and Advance

Morning, Evening, Sunday 21,000 Carter Glass & Sons to Worrell Newspapers

Staunton Leader and News-Leader

Morning 17,000; Sunday 20,000 Opie family to Multimedia Corp.

WASHINGTON

Pasco-Kennewick-Richland

Tri-City Herald
Evening 37,000; Sunday 39,000
Glenn C. Lee and Robert F. Philip
to McClatchy Newspapers

WISCONSIN

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Green Bay Press-Gazette Evening, 56,461; Sunday, 69,120

Wausau Daily Herald

Evening 28,844 Green Bay Newspaper Co. to Gannett Co. Inc.

130 paid, 63 free papers involved in weekly sales

A total of 130 paid circulation weeklies and 63 free circulation papers (shoppers, etc) were involved in non-daily newspaper sales in 1979, as reported to E&P.

Many of the ''paid'' weeklies and semi-weeklies have a portion of free circulation but in most of these cases it is minimal

Publishers of daily newspapers figured in 77 of the transactions, with notable acquisitions of large shoppers and shopping paper groups. Panax Corp. of Michigan disposed of its three groups in Florida, Virginia and Texas, and Rupert Murdoch (New York Post, etc.) purchased two major shoppers that blanket the Houston area.

As an offshoot of the breakup of the Lindsay-Schaub group, Byron C. Vedder, a former executive, paid \$1 million for two L-S weeklies in Florida.

Following are the sales reported in 1979:

ALABAMA

Atmore Advance

Thursday 4,500 paid E.R. Morrissette Jr to Morris Newspaper Corp.

Brewton Standard

Thursday 5,300 paid
Tom Gardner
to Morris Newspaper Corp.

ARIZONA

Central Phoenix Arizona Sun

22,000 free

Robert A. Mason and Jack Williams to Independent Newspapers Inc. (Joe Smyth)

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Gary and Kass Roe to Jim Stubbs Consultant: Robert T. Houk

Sun City Citizen

Wednesday 8,000 paid Jack Pryor and Bob Heiberg to Independent Newspapers (Joe Smyth)

Youngstown Record

Wednesday 1,500 paid Jack Pryor and Bob Heiberg to Independent Newspapers (Joe Smyth)

CALIFORNIA

Campbell Potpourri

200,000 free ADZ Inc to Harte-Hanks Communications Broker: J.N. Wells & Co.

Clovis Independent and Journal

Wed.-Sat. 2,000 paid; 14,000 free McClatchy Newspapers to El Dorado Newspapers (Hussman)

Culver City Crenshaw News

Thursday 1,500 free, 36,200 free Edwin W. Dean Jr and Ruth D. Dean to Coast Media (Bronner & Payson) Broker: Mel Hodell

Cotati-Rhonert Park Times

Wishard A. Brown and others to Gannett Company

East Los Angeles Brooklyn Comet

58,000 free Kovner family to Dolores Sanchez and others Price: \$500,000

Redondo Beach Community News

Joan and Robert Haugh to Coast Media Inc.

Hawthorne Press-Tribune

Thursday 1,000 paid, 14,100 free Dean Newspapers to Coast Media (Bronner and Payson) Broker: Mel Hodell

Lawndale Community News

Joan and Robert Haugh to Coast Media Inc.

Inglewood News

Thursday 7,000 paid, 32,650 free Dean Newspapers to Coast Media (Bronner and Payson) Broker: Mel Hodell

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Torrance Tribune

Joan and Robert Haugh to Coast Media Inc.

Lawndale Tribune

Thursday 11,000 free
Dean Newspapers
to Coast Media (Bronner and Payson)
Broker: Mel Hodell

Lenox Citizen

Dean Newspapers to Coast Media (Bronner and Payson) Broker: Mel Hodell

Los Angeles Eastside Sun

12,400 free Kovner Estate to Dolores Sanchez and others

Los Angeles Terrace Comet

Kovner Estate to Dolores Sanchez and others

Los Angeles Mexican-American Sun

8,000 free Kovner Estate to Dolores Sanchez and others

Mar Vista News

Dean Newspapers to Coast Media Broker: Mel Hodell

Montebello Comet

10,000 free Kovner Estate to Dolores Sanchez and others

Monterey Park Comet

10,000 free Kovner Estate to Dolores Sanchez and others

Napa Advertiser

105,000 free to Felker Communications

Westchester News

Thursday 3,600 paid, 15,400 free Dean Newspapers to Coast Media Broker: Mel Hodell

Wynyerwood Chronicle

10,000 free Kovner Estate to Dolores Sanchez and others

COLORADO

Broomfield Enterprise

12,000 free
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin
to Minneapolis Star & Tribune Co.
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Delta County Independent

Monday-Thursday 5,000 paid Ken Johnson to Cox Enterprises

Grand Junction
Clifton County Citizen

Jay and Sharon Brodell to Jeffrey Weber and David Barta

CONNECTICUT

Milford Reporter

34,000 free Edward Smith to Ingersoll Publications

FLORIDA

Auburndale Star

3,000 paid J.W. Rynerson to Multimedia

Brandon Shopper

William and Frances Johnson to Jefferson-Pilot Publications

Coral Springs Courier

17,700 free Panax Corp. to J.T. Publishing Corp. **Davie Western News**

38,000 free Panax Corp. to J.T. Publishing Corp.

Gainesville
Town & Country Shopper
40,000 free

Jeffrey and Sue Martin to Sentinel Star Co. (Orlando)

Miami Beach Sun Reporter

Thrice-weekly 9,000
Panax Corp.
to J.T. Publishing Co.
(Mark Hauser and J.L. Weiner)

Miami Beach Suburban Sun Reporter

63,000 free Panax Corp. to J.T. Publishing Co.

Miami Beach Sunny Shopper 27,000 free

Panax Corp. to J.T. Publishing Co.

Miramar Mirror 26,300 free Panax Corp. to J.T. Publishing Co.

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Lindsay-Schaub Newspapers to Lee Enterprises

to Byron Vedder Consultant: Vincent J. Manno

Plant City Shopper William and Frances Johnson to Jefferson-Pilot Publications

Punta Gorda Shopping Guide

26,500 free

to Sentinel Star (Orlando)

St. Petersburg Southcoaster and Northsider

70,000 free Robert J. Woodruff Jr. to Jefferson-Pilot Publications

St. Petersburg Seminole Courier

Thursday 4,700 paid Howard French

to Bar Association

Seminole Co. Citizen News

26,000 free Schnelker family to Gannett Company Price: \$200,000

Venice Sun Coast Gondolier

Monday-Thursday 8,000 paid

Lindsay-Schaub to Lee Enterprises to Byron Vedder

Consultant: Vincent J. Manno Price: \$1,000,000 with New Port Richey Press

Winter Garden West Orange Shopper

22,000 free Mrs. Ailine Arnev to Multimedia

Winter Park Sun Herald

Thursday 3,200 paid Allen and Nancy Long to Herman Gross Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

GEORGIA

Bremen Gateway

Thursday 3,000 paid Stanley Parkman to Harte-Hanks

Buchanan **Haralson County Tribune**

Thursday 1,200 paid Stanley Parkman to Harte Hanks

Carrolton Times-Free Press

Semi-weekly 12,000 paid Stanley Parkman to Harte Hanks

Carrolton Carroll County Georgian

Tues, Thurs, Sat 12,000 paid Stanley Parkman to Harte Hanks

Douglasville **Douglas County Sentinel**

Tues., Thursday 8,000 paid Stanley Parkman to Harte Hanks

Tallapoosa Journal Beacon

Wednesday 2,500 paid Stanley Parkman to Harte-Hanks

HAWAII

Maui Sun

Don Graydon to Kirk Munroe

IDAHO

McCall

Central Idaho Star-News Thursday 3,500 paid

Mike and Debra Parfit to A.L. Alford Jr and William Briggs (Lewiston Tribune)

ILLINOIS

Atwood Herald

Dick Shelefontiuk to Don Weaver Broker: Robert N. Bolitho

Bethalto American

Wednesday 2,000 paid Ronald Snyder and Bill Cole to Alton (Ill.) Citizen

Chicago Pickwick Press (10 weeklies)

Carroll family to Pioneer Press (Time Inc.)

Chicago Lerner Newspapers

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Sullivan Progress

Thursday 2,100 paid Byron and Alta Brandenburger to Moultrie County News

Vandalia Leader-Union

Tues., Thursday 7,000 paid Charles and Jane Mills to Landmark Communications Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

West Chicago Press

Thursday 4,700 paid H.W. Treudt to Wayne G. Woltman

Wood River Journal

Wednesday 3,500 paid, 36,500 free Wilson family to Alton (Ill.) Citizen

Worth-Palos Reporter

Thursday 24,000 paid Mrs. Mary Roelofs to Meredith and Lora Nicholson Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

INDIANA

Covington Friend

Wednesday 1,200 paid Ed Farrar to Nixon Newspapers

Demotte Kankakee Valley Post-News

Thursday 2,800 paid Keith B. Robinson to Dear Publications

Morocco Courier

Thursday 1,400 paid Keith B. Robinson to Deal Publications

Kentland **Newton County Enterprise**

Wednesday 2,300 paid William E. Harper to Nixon Newspapers

Oakland City Journal

Thursday 1,700 paid Also two shoppers Edward C. and Ned Cochran to W.J. McGiffin Newspaper Co. Broker: John A. Park Jr

Rockport Journal

Thursday 2,300 paid Garth and Martha Whipple to Landmark Communications

Tell City Cannellton News

Mon., Wed., Friday 7,500 paid Garth and Martha Whipple to Landmark Communications

Williamsport Warren County Messenger

Ed Farrar to Nixon Newspapers

IOWA

Glenwood Opinion-Tribune

Wed., Friday 3,500 paid Dean and Daryl DeVries to Landmark Communications Broker: Robert N. Bolitho (Continued on page 41)

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Pella Chronicle

Wednesday 3,900 paid Richard D. Barton to Boone Newspapers

Pocahontas Record Democrat

Thursday 2,700 paid Lew Warren to Walter and Irene Swartz

Red Oak Express

Mon., Thursday 4,500 paid Dean and Daryl DeVries to Landmark Communications Broker: Robert N. Bolitho

KANSAS

Bonner Springs-Edwardsville Chieftain and Basehor Sentinel

Elton and John Carter to Clausie and Jean Smith Broker: Robert N. Bolitho

Colby Prairie Drummer

Saturday 4,600 paid R.D. Hansen to Seaton group, Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

Neodesha Sun and Register

Twice-weekly 1,800 paid Larry and Shari Tucker to Chuck Walton Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

KENTUCKY

St. Matthews Jefferson Publishing Co.

Four shoppers 55,000 to E.W. Scripps Co.

Sturgis News

Wednesday 3,000 paid E.C. Calman to Mr. and Mrs. John Pesta

Bardstown

Kentucky Standard Thursday 9,200 paid Alfred S. Wathen and others to Scripps-Howard Newspapers

MARYLAND

Catonsville Times

Wednesday 9,000 paid Also two weeklies and two monthlies

Minneapolis Star & Tribune Co. to Whitney Communications

LaPlata Times-Crescent

Wednesday 8,400 paid; 600 free Orville W. Davis and James Mitchell to Ernie and Peg Lotito Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co. EDITOR & PUBLISHER for January 5, 1980

Prince Frederick Calvert Independent

Wednesday 6,000 Estate of Edward T. Hall to Ernie and Peg Lotito Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

MASSACHUSETTS

Amesbury Messenger and two other weeklies

Castle Publications to Exeter News-Letter

Marblehead Reporter

Thursday 425 paid, 7,900 free R.C. Triplett to North Shore Weeklies

Plymouth Memorial Press

Four weeklies 13,000 paid Bittinger family to Prescott Publishing Co. (Ouincy Patriot-Ledger)

Swampscott Reporter

Thursday 2,600 paid R.C. Triplett to North Shore Weeklies

MISSISSIPPI

New Albany Gazette

Thurs., Saturday 7,000 paid Rutledge family to Landmark Communications Broker: J.W.R. White

MISSOURI

California Democrat

Wednesday 4,500 paid to Sedalia Democrat Co. (Dear Publica-

Platte City Landmark

Lucile Jones to Dwavne Folev Broker: Robert N. Bolitho

DeSoto Press and Jefferson Republic

Wade Roop to Dean DeVries Broker: Robert N. Bolitho

MONTANA

Belt Valley Times

Thursday 450 paid Sam Butler Sr to Dean and Janell Brown Broker: John N. Jepson

Bigfork Eagle Dale and Joan Singer to Terry and Sandy Licence Broker: John N. Jepson

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Fairfield Tribune

Thursday 1,500 paid John Kayanaugh to Jim and Joan Anderson Broker: John N. Jepson

Libby Western News

Thursday 5,000 paid Paul and Elaine Verdon to W.C. King Broker: John N. Jepson

Stanford **Judith Basin News**

Wednesday 900 paid Sam Butler Sr to Jean and Janell Brown Broker: John N. Jepson

NEBRASKA

Hartington Cedar Co. News

Wednesday 2,750 paid Don and Pearl Johnson to James and Tim Kelly Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Hampstead News and four other weeklies Castle Publications to Exeter News-Letter (Thayer family)

NEW JERSEY

Cranbury Press

Friday 2,000 paid T.C. Brown to Princeton Packet

Point Pleasant Beach Ocean County Leader

Thursday 6,000 paid Donald and Barry Shanahan to Ingersoll Newspapers Broker: W.B. Grimes Co.

Penns Grove Record

Wednesday 3,780 paid William O. Frey to Sunbeam Publishing Co. Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

NEW MEXICO

Tucumcari Quay County Sun

Marshall Stinnett to Carmage Walls group

NEW YORK

Ellenville Journal

Thursday 4,200 paid Ray and Ann Dulye and Frank Miller Jr to Park Newspapers 42

to Ingersoll Publications Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

New Paltz **Huguenot Herald**

Wednesday 2,000 paid Ray and Ann Dulve to Ingersoll Publications Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

Stewart Citizen

Ray and Ann Dulve to Ingersoll Publications Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

Walden Citizen Herald

Wednesday 5,000 paid Ray and Ann Dulve to Ingersoll Publications Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

NORTH CAROLINA

Canton Enterprise

Thursday 4,000 paid C. Russ to Raleigh News & Observer

Newberry Observer

Semi-weekly 6,500 paid J.W. Earhardt to Columbia State-Record

Marshall News Record

Thursday 2,000 paid Curtiss Russ to Raleigh News & Observer

Waynesville Mountaineer Mon.-Wed.-Fri. 12,300 paid

Russ and Bridges to Raleigh News & Observer

OHIO

Amhearst News-Times

Hull Wilson to Thomas and Judith Oley Broker: Robert N. Bolitho

Bainbridge **Town & Country Trader**

56,000 free Community Journals Inc. to Post Corporation

Euclid News Journal

Thursday 10,000 paid, 9,000 free and three shoppers Community Journals Inc. to Post Corporation

Grove City Record-Observer

Thursday 5,200 paid Walter R. Bentley to Dean Henricksen Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

OKLAHOMA

Bixby Bulletin

Thursday 2,250 paid Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWilliams **Blair Enterprise**

Thursday 1.055 paid Roland Landford to Altus Newspapers (Jefferson-Pilot

Broken Arrow Ledger

Mon., Thursday 5,400 paid Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWilliams to Park Newspapers

Duke Times

Thursday 630 paid E.P. Thomas to Altus Newspapers

Granite Enterprise

Thursday 960 paid W.H. Wingo to Altus Newspapers

Jenks Journal

Thursday 1,600 paid Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWilliams to Park Newspapers

Kingfisher Free Press

Monday 3,800 paid Jack and Beverly Hubbard to Ken Reid, Weatherford Daily Times

Poteau News

Thursday 5,500 paid Bob Lee Kidd to Enterprise group, Ruston, La.

Poteau LeFlore County Sun

Sunday 5,500 paid Bob Lee Kidd to Enterprise Group, Ruston, La.

Snyder **Kiowa County Democrat**

Thursday 1,900 paid E.D. Goforth to Altus Newspapers

Tulsa Southside Times

Wednesday 6,600 paid Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWilliams to Park Newspapers

OREGON

Junction City Times

Thursday 1,400 paid Carmi and Norma McKinley to Fred Crow and Rick Beasley Broker: John N. Jepson

PENNSYLVANIA

Elizabethtown Chronicle

Thursday 5,240 paid Sansone Group to Richard M. Scaife

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Palmyra Palm Press

shopper Sansone Group to Richard M. Scaife

TEXAS

Stratford Star

Thursday 1,500 paid Dave McReynolds to Al Wilcox Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

Brown County Gazette

Wednesday 985 paid Lenora and W.T. Havs to Woodson Newspapers

Hemphill Sabine County Reporter

Thursday 2,600 paid Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coker to Mr. and Mrs. Ron Beeler

Houston Area Suburban Reporter Group

14 shoppers 200,000 circ. Panax Corporation to Rupert Murdoch

Humble Echo and affiliated papers

Benson Printing Co. to Rupert Murdoch

Santa Anna News

Thursday 1,200 paid Lenora and W.T. Hays to Woodson Newspapers

Seguin Gazette

Thursday 8,000 paid to Taylor Communications

Van Alstyne Leader

David S. Holden to Mr. & Mrs. Jim D'Avignon

VIRGINIA

Burke Herald

Mrs. Betsy Hinkle to Alexandria Gazette (Neilan) Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

Fairfax Globe Newspapers

five shoppers 25,300 Panax Corporation to Journal Newspapers

Richlands News Press

Wednesday 7,400 paid Carter Glass & Sons to Worrell Newspapers

Springfield Independent

Thursday 6,000 paid Mrs. Betsy Hinkle to Alexandria Gazette (Neilan) Broker: W.B. Grimes & Co.

Tazewell Clinch Valley News

Wednesday 4,600 paid Carter Glass & Sons to Worrell Newspapers

WISCONSIN

Brookfield News

and 10 affiliated papers Shinners Publications to Community Newspapers, Oak Creek, Wis.

Lancaster Herald Independent

Wednesday 5,200 paid Cal and Wanda Lambert to Mark Fuglie Broker: Marion R. Krehbiel

WYOMING

Lingle Guernsey Gazette

Thursday 500 paid Joe Acklin to Mike and Pat Lindsey

Linale Guide

Thursday 1,000 paid Joe Acklin to Mike and Pat Lindsey

Publishers buy 50 radio and 13 video stations

Newspaper publishing interests bought 50 radio stations and 13 television stations in 1979, according to records in the Federal Communications Commission.

The total value of the radio outlets was given as \$94 million, while \$124 million was invested in tv with prices ranging from \$1.5 million to \$31 million in a multiple-station deal.

In a few instances newspaper owners either swapped stations or sold a station in one market and bought one in another market so as not to conflict with the rule against crossownership in any market.

Following is a list of transactions which have received approval of license transfers or are being processed at FCC:

ALABAMA

WHNT-tv Huntsville CBS

North Alabama Broadcasters to New York Times Co. Price: About \$14 million.

ARIZONA

KOOL-am Phoenix

Gene Autry and others to Stauffer Communications Price: \$2 million.

KTAR-am and KBBC-fm Phoenix

Combined Communications Corp. (Continued on page 44)

Leroy Keller

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to Pulitzer Publishing Co. Price: Exchange for KSD-am St. Louis

KMEO-am-fm Phoenix

B&D Broadcasting Inc. to Scripps-Howard Broadcasting Co. Price: \$4 million.

ARKANSAS

KFSM-ty Fort Smith NBC

Buford brothers

to New York Times Company

Price: \$17.5 million

Broker: Dan Hayslett and Associates

CALIFORNIA

KJAZ-fm Alameda

Patrick Henry

to Dr. Leonilo L. Malabed and others (Dr. Malabed owns a newspaper)

KMJ-tv Fresno

McClatchy Newspapers to San Joaquin Communications Corp. (R.W. Millard and others) Price: \$13.5 million

KHTZ-fm Los Angeles

Storer Broadcasting Co. to Greater Media Inc. whose principals own the East Brunswick (N.J.) Sentinel-Spokesman. Price: \$4 million

KOVR-tv Sacramento ABC

McClatchy Newspapers to Outlet Company Price: \$65 million

KSLY-am and KUNA-fm San Luis Obispo

Sunbelt Communications Ltd to Dudley A. White and family Price: \$1.6 million.

Broker: Chapman Associates

KVML-am and KROG-fm Sonora

Herold Broadcasting Co. to Portuguese American C

to Portuguese American Communications Corp. (Principals own the Portuguese News at San Leandro, Calif.) at San Leandro, Calif.) Price: \$750.000

COLORADO

KBP-fm Denver

Progressive Broadcasters Inc. (Myriad Industries)

to Sandusky Newspapers Inc. (Dudley White and family)

Price: \$6.7 million

Broker: Chapman Associates

KLAK-am and KPPL-fm Lakewood

McCoy Broadcasting Co. to Des Moines Register & Tribune Co. Price: \$27.7 million (includes four other stations)

CONNECTICUT

WSUB-am-fm Groton

Jean Crawford and Lucille Noonan to Lightfoot Broadcasting Corp. (Shoreline Times Co.) Price: \$737.000

FLORIDA

WGBS-am and WLYF-fm Miami

Storer Broadcasting Co. to Jefferson-Pilot Corp. Price: \$12.5 million Broker: Ted Hepburn Co.

WJYW-fm Tampa

R.W. Rounsaville and others to Combined Communications Corp. (Gannett Co.) Price: \$4 million Broker: R.C. Crisler & Co.

HAWAII

KHON-tv Honolulu, KHAW-tv Hilo and KAII-tv Wailuku

McCoy Broadcasting Co. to Des Moines Register & Tribune Co. Price: \$27.7 million (includes other stations)

KGU-am Honolulu

The Copley Press Trust to Wilson Broadcasting Co. Price: \$650,000 Broker: Richter-Kalil Co.

IDAHO

KVNI-am Coeur d'Alene

Scripps League Newspapers (68%) to Duane B. Hagadone

ILLINOIS

WXLP-fm Moline

Frederick Epstein to Guy Gannett Publishing Co. Price: \$2.3 million (includes KSTT Davenport.)

INDIANA

WLFI-tv Lafavette CBS

Richard and Harold Shively to Toledo Blade Company Price: \$3.1 million

IOWA

KSTT-am Davenport

Frederick Epstein to Guy Gannett Publishing Co. Price: \$2.3 million (includes WXLP-fm Moline, Ill.)

KDUB-tv Dubuque

Lloyd Hearing Aid Co. to Birney Imes Jr and family (Columbus Miss. Commercial Dispatch) Price: \$1.5 million

Broker: Blackburn & Co.

KMCD-am and KBCT-fm Fairfield

Ray L. Sherwood to Lester T. Pritchard and Galesburg, Ill. Register Mail Co. Price: \$370,000

KANSAS

KAKE-am-tv Wichita ABC

Sherrill Corwin to San Francisco Chronicle Publishing Co.

Price: \$27 million (includes KUPK-tv Garden City)

Broker: Howard E. Stark

KUPK-tv Garden City

Sherrill Corwin to San Francisco Chronicle Publishing Co.

Price: \$27 million (includes KAKE stations, Wichita)

Broker: Howard E. Stark

KSOK-am Arkansas City

Stauffer Communications to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wartell

KENTUCKY

WFKY-am and WKYW-fm Frankfort

Raymond Q. Armington et al 50% to Rowley family (*Painesville* (O.) *Telegraph*)
Price: \$400,000

WVEZ-fm Louisville

Stoner Broadcasting Co. to Multimedia Corp. Price: \$1.5 million

MARYLAND

WITH-am-fm Baltimore

Reeves Telecom Corp. to Scripps-Howard Broadcasting Co. Price: \$3.9 million

MASSACHUSETTS

WHYN-am-fm Springfield

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to Affiliated Publications (Boston Globe)
Price: \$5.1 million

MINNESOTA

KDAL-tv Duluth CBS

Tribune Company, Chicago to Daniel D. Palmer Trust Price: \$7.2 million

MISSISSIPPI

WAPT-tv Jackson

Louis C. Hopper et al to Lyell B. Clay and family (West Virginia newspapers) Price: \$8 million

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WELO-am-fm Tupelo

Birney Imes Jr, newspaper owner to Edward O. Fritts Jr. et al Price: \$945,000

MISSOURI

KCFM-fm St. Louis

Harry Eidelman and John E. Dwyer to Combined Communications (Gannett) Price: \$3.2 million

KSD-am St. Louis

Pulitzer Publishing Co. to KTAR Broadcasting Co. Price: Exchange for Phoenix stations and \$2 million

NEBRASKA

KFMQ-fm Lincoln

Steve Agnew to Telegraph-Herald Inc., Dubuque, Ia. Price: \$1.8 million.

KNEB-am-fm Scottsbluff

George H. Haskell et al to Seaton family, newspaper publishers Price: \$750,000

NEVADA

KSHO-tv

Arthur P. Williams and family to Journal Company, Milwaukee Price: \$13.5 million Broker: Blackburn & Co.

NEW MEXICO

KRKE-am-fm Albuquerque

Oklahoma Publishing Co. (Gaylord) to Journal Star Co., Peoria, Ill. Price: \$5 million

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NEW YORK

WEVD-am New York City

Jewish Daily Forward to Stuart Epperson et al Price: \$1.1 million Broker: Blackburn & Co.

WHEC-tv Rochester

Gannett Company to Broadcast Enterprises Network Inc. Price: \$27 million Broker: Ted Hepburn Company

OHIO

WBRJ-am Marietta

Gannett Company to Employee Owned Broadcasting Co. Price: \$550,000

OKLAHOMA

KOFM-fm Oklahoma City

Robert Freeman et al to Guy Gannett Publishing Co. Price: \$3.9 million

KBEZ-fm Tulsa

Mark-Way Inc. to Mid-America Media, Kankakee, Ill. Price: \$3 million

OREGON

KMJK-fm Lake Oswego (Portland)

Frederic W. Constant et al to Harte-Hanks Communications Inc. Price: \$1.3 million

KYXI-am Oregon City

McCoy Broadcasting Co. to Des Moines Register and Tribune Co. Price: \$27.7 million includes 5 other stations

KGON-fm Portland

McCoy Broadcasting Co. to Des Moines Register and Tribune Co. Price: Part of \$27.7 million package

RHODE ISLAND

WWON-am-fm Woonsocket

Buell W. Hudson Trust et al to Hudson and Palmer families Woonsocket Evening Call

TENNESSEE

WBIR-am-fm Knoxville

Multimedia Corp. to Stoner Broadcasting Co.

TEXAS

KFYO-am Lubbock

S.B. Whittenburg family to Seaton family, newspaper publishers

Price: \$1.3 million

KOZA-am Odessa

Cecil Trigg to Harris Enterprises, Garden City, Kans

Price: \$610,000

VIRGINIA

WHSV-tv Harrisonburg

T. Eugene Worrell to Worrell sons Price: \$215,465

WVEC-tv Norfolk ABC

Thomas P. Chisman et al Dun & Bradstreet Co. (Whitney) Price: \$31 million includes 6 cable systems

WEST VIRGINIA

WHIS-tv Bluefield NBC

Hugh I. Shott family
Bluefield Daily Telegraph
to Thomas A. Oakley family
Quincy, Ill. Herald Whig
Price: \$8 million
Broker: Blackburn & Co.

WKEE-am-fm Huntington

Reeves Telecom Co. to A.J. Fletcher et al *North Carolina Leader* Price: \$1.9 million

WISCONSIN

WJMC-am-fm Rice Lake

Russell J. Brown to Robert Bliss family Janesville Gazette Price: \$1 million Broker: Richard A. Shaheen Inc

Lee sells tv station to Shott's Co.

Lee Enterprises has sold tv station KIMT, serving Mason City, Ia., Austin and Rochester, Minn. to the Daily Telegraph Printing Co., Bluefield, W. Va. for \$9.5 million in cash.

The January 2 sale, which is subject to approval by the FCC, was required under the consent decree agreed to by Lee Enterprises.

The Daily Telegraph Printing Co. is run by the Shott family. The company publishes the Bluefield Daily Telegraph.

Howard E. Stark served as broker in the transaction.

Inland opens cost study to all dailies

This year, for the first time, the Inland Daily Press Association is offering every daily newspaper in the U.S. the opportunity to participate in its Annual Cost and Revenue Study—the only study of its kind in the U.S.

Completed report forms for the 60th Annual Study must be at the Inland office by no later than March 10, 1980.

The first Inland Study was completed in 1919, and since then has helped daily newspaper executives compare their costs and revenues with those of other dailies across the country. More than 350 dailies, with circulation ranging from 3,100 to more than 500,000 and revenues from \$315,000 to more than \$133,000,000, participated in the 1978 study. (Data covers the participant's last financial year, or his/her adjustment to the calendar year just ended. Therefore, the Cost Study produced in 1980 will contain 1979 financial figures.)

"With today's uncertain economic situation, it's of even greater importance to keep abreast of what's happening," says Tom Reeves, vice president and treasurer of the Longmont (Colo.) Times-Call and chairman of Inland's Management and Costs Committee. "The Inland Cost Study is the only outside source newspaper management can rely upon for objective data. The only way you'll have access to this information is to participate. The larger the number of participants, the more valuable the data will be."

The Study is not an accountant's tool. If a management tool that gives newspaper executives a look at not just what they did last year, but what other papers in their circulation and revenue groups across the country did. It shows how you might do the job and how others do it.

Absolute confidentiality of participating newspapers' and their figures is strictly maintained. Individual newspaper identities are protected by key numbers assigned to each participant by the Inland office. Participants may request an exchange of identities among themselves, via the Inland office, if they find an individual participant of particular interest to them.

Cost for participating in the 1979 Cost and Revenue Study is \$60.00 for Inland members before the February 11 discount deadline and \$75.00 after the deadline. Cost to non-Inland members is \$100.00 before the discount deadline and \$115.00 after February 11.

Forms for participation in the Cost Study have been mailed to all U.S. dailies. Further information can be obtained by writing the Inland Daily Press Association, 100 W. Monroe, Chicago, IL 60603, or phone 312/782-0513.

Revisions are made in pension plan

The Chicago Tribune has revised its pension plan, effective January 1, 1980, to increase substantially the early retirement benefits the company will provide to it's employees.

The revised plan lowers the retirement age at which Tribune employees may be eligible for full pension benefits earned up to that time. The new plan offers full accrued benefits to employees at the age of 62 years, if they are eligible at that time for early retirement. Under the old plan, full benefits were available only to eligible retirees who had reached the age of 65 years.

The revised plan also provides that employees who choose to retire before the age of 62 will receive a larger percentage of their full pension benefits. Employees retiring at the age of 60, for example, may receive 92% of their full pensions, rather than 75%, if they are covered by the plan.

Tribune employees who have already retired will also benefit. Their pension payments will increase depending on

their year of retirement.

"The Chicago Tribune intends to be responsive to changing times and the changing needs of our employees," said Clayton Kirkpatrick, president and chief executive officer. "The pension plan changes follow many months of study. They are designed to offset the past few years' inflation and make it easier for employees to make their retirement plans."

Bill would end utility ads in Okla.

Public service company advertising in Oklahoma will be a thing of the past if legislation pre-filed for the next session of the legislature is favored by the lawmakers.

The Oklahoma Press Association said: "the bill prohibits any and all communications with the public to be expensed in the rate base."

"Not one penny for bill stuffers, broadcasting or print ads could be included as allowed expense for ratemaking purposes. Gas, electric and telephone company stockholders could be charged the expense. But where does that leave telephone or electric cooperatives and municipal-owned utilities?

"HB 1585 leaves those systems totally and completely gagged. They may not even issue publications or other messages to member customers."

OPA said it recognizes the energy shortage and that no promotion urging increased consumption is justified. However, it voices the opinion that "some types of utility advertising are justified to be in the rate base."

ANPA to hold workshop on 1980 census

Four workshops on "Using Census Data in the Newsroom" will be held in four different regions of the country to orient journalists and other newspaper staff and executives to the 1980 census.

Sponsored by the American Newspaper Publishers Association News Research Center and the U.S. Bureau of the Census, these one-day workshops lasting from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. will consist of four working sessions and a luncheon. The two morning sessions, presented by Census Bureau staffers, will detail how the 1980 Census will be conducted, the schedule of government publications to follow, and how material can be accessed from sources other than the regular printed reports.

The first afternoon session will feature journalists who have used Census data for major stories on trends in their cities and neighborhoods. The final session staffed by newspaper researchers will discuss the use of the Census to track changes in newspaper audiences—both in their changing geographic location and social characteristics.

The dates, location, and local sponsoring institution for the workshops are:

Northeast: January 18, hosted by Syracuse University

Southeast: February 1, hosted by Memphis State University

Midwest: February 29, hosted by the Chicago Sun-Times

Far West: March 21, hosted by the Independent Press-Telegram (Long Beach, California)

The registration fee for each workshop is \$15.00 which includes all the materials to be distributed and the luncheon. Late registration fee is \$20. Anyone interested in participating may send their names, addresses and their check (payable to the "ANPA News Research Center") no later than the Monday preceding the workshop they plan to attend to: Maxwell McCombs, ANPA News Research Center, School of Public Communications, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York 13210. For more information on these workshops, call (315) 423-3363.

Market study to boost Phoenix

Arizona Republic and Phoenix Gazette will invest about \$250,000 for a market study by Scarborough Research Corp., Scarborough, N.Y.

The study which will be conducted every other year will replace the Consumer Survey compiled by the newspapers for the past 26 years.

The data from the Scarborough study will be used to produce a nationwide ad presentation, which will premiere on March 18 in Phoenix.

Harte-Hanks ups dividend to 17 ¢

The management of Harte-Hanks Communications, Inc. has recommended that its Board of Directors increase the quarterly dividend by 21%. It was recommended that the quarterly dividend rate be increased from 14¢ a share to 17¢ a share. The new rate would become effective with the first 1980 dividend payment to shareholders. The next regularly scheduled meeting of the board of directors, at which management's recommendation will be considered, is January 25.

The board of directors of Knight-Ridder Newspapers, Inc. declared a dividend on outstanding common stock of 17½ cents per share, payable January 11, to shareholders of record at the close of business December 26.

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The board also declared a dividend of \$2.04 per share of Series One Preference Stock payable Jan. 2, on shareholders of record on Dec. 31, 1979.

The board set April 15, 1980 as the date of the annual meeting to be held in Miami.

Weekly paper sold

Publisher of the Hollis (Okla.) News, Gary Reid, has sold the weekly paper to Altus Newspapers, Inc., which publishes seven newspapers in Oklahoma. Reid recently bought the Kingfisher (Okla.) Times and Free Press from Jack and Beverly Hubbard.

Reid and his wife assumed publishing

responsibilities at Kingfisher.

A minority interest in the papers purchased is owned by Reid's brother, Ken, publisher of the Weatherford (Okla.) Daily News, who is Oklahoma Press Association president. Ken Reid has interests in several other Oklahoma newspapers.

Bob Gilmore is president of the Altus corporation. Judy Webb, Hollis News editor for seven and one-half years, will continue as editor, and Mrs. Sonya Cummins, with paper for the same time, will remain as business manager.

Acquires printer

Post Corporation, Appleton, Wisc. and Winnebago Corporation announced they have signed a letter of intent looking toward acquisition of Winnebago by Post. The letter calls for the deal to be completed by March 14, 1980. Price and terms were not revealed. Winnebago, located in nearby Menasha, Wisc., is a commercial printing company specializing in high quality, four-color process printing. Post is an Appleton-headquartered newspaper, broadcasting and printing firm. The company has annual sales of about \$4 million.

Energy section

Stamps-Conhaim is offering newspaper subscribers a special supplement entitled "Energy", it was announced by Hugh J. Rawdon, Creative Director for SCW. Inc.

The tabloid-sized supplements, featuring 2-color cover art, provides articles, photographs and illustrations related to the energy crisis. How to save energy around the home, how to get better mileage from your car, and how industry is responding to the energy crisis—these are topics of vital interest to readers, covered in Stamps-Conhaim's "Energy" supplement.

Rawdon points out that "Energy", now shipping with the March Service and due to arrive at newspapers the first week in February, can form the basis for new sections that are sure to attract many advertisers.

Wins geology prize

Walter Sullivan, New York Times science editor, was named the 1980 recipient of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists' Journalism Award for his notable achievement in communications contributing to public understanding of geology and science.

The AAPG Journalism Award is issued annually to communicators in both broadcast and print media in recognition of journalistic contributions toward public understanding of geology, energy resources, or the technology of oil and gas exploration. Sullivan has been the science editor of the Times since 1966.

Harte-Hanks buys

The sale of the *Lamar County* (Tex.) *Echo* at Paris by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Steely to North Texas Publishing Co., a Harte-Hanks division, has been announced.

The Steelys have owned the Echo 26 years. He has been active in press association activities and also in university and hospital organizations in the East Texas city.

George Kimbrough will be Echo editor/manager. He formerly was a regional editor of the *Paris News*, the H-H daily unit in the city.

Minorities' groups picket newspapers

Groups representing various minorities picketed the *Arizona Republic* and *Phoenix Gazette* on December 15.

About 24 persons took part in the demonstration. The picketing was sponsored by Citizens Organized for an Unbiased Press, the Black Media Coalition, Phoenix Indian Coalition and other groups in protest of what they say is unfair treatment in the newspapers.

Business called 'unduly sensitive'

T. Mitchell Ford, chairman, Emhart Corp., Hartford, Conn., said business leaders are "unduly sensitive to the needles and barbs" of the media.

In remarks made at the Connecticut Business Journalism awards ceremonies (December 11), Ford said "business must recognize that the First Amendment does not guarantee a fair and accurate press, "he guarantee is only for a free press."

Ford, who is chairman of the Greater Hartford Chamber of Commerce, which sponsors the annual contest for business writing, said business executives must become better communicators.

800 forced out by pressroom fire

Fire broke out December 19 in the San Jose (Calif.) News' pressroom, forcing the evacuation of 800 employees and cutting short a press run.

A News spokesperson said the damage would run into "six figures." None of the employees was injured, although two fireman were hospitalized for smoke inhalation.

Fire halted the News' press run, leaving newsracks around the city short of about 4,000 papers, spokesperson said. The presses were back to normal the following day and circulation was fully restored.

The blaze of unknown origin started in the press room's ventilating ducts but did not damage the presses.

Spokesperson said the fire did not hold progress on the \$18.8 million expansion currently underway at the Mercury and News plant.

Flap over bill

Bisbee (Ariz.) Review refuses to pay the city \$600 for heat supplied by a furnace in the adjacent city library. The newspaper uses the same furnace under an agreement signed by former Review managing editor Howard Fischer and former public works director. The Review does not recognize the agreement. The City Council will be asked to turn off the heat to the newspaper office if the bill is not paid.

Reporter barred

In Oregon, Mo. (pop. 789) a reporter was barred from a courtroom, along with all others, during a pre-trial hearing in a capital murder trial. The judge's order to clear the courtroom was in response to a defense attorney's request. The attorney asserted that "pre-trial publicity would circulate rapidly" for the reason that the county (Holt) is small. It has 6,654 people

Beck Award fete honors 9 for work

On-the-spot reports on the crisis in Iran and a series of significant disclosures of long-standing dangers to the United States from nuclear weapons testing and the disposal of nuclear waste have won the *Chicago Tribune's* two 1979 Edward Scott Beck awards for outstanding reporting.

The 1979 Beck Award for outstanding photography was presented to Bob Fila for a full-page color photo of Pope John Paul II enthroned in Holy Name Cathedral beside Cardinal Cody during the Pope's historic visit to Chicago.

Ray Moseley, a Tribune correspondent, won the award for distinguished foreign news reporting for his coverage of the revolution in Iran.

James Coates, a member of the Tribune's Washington Bureau, won the award for outstanding domestic reporting for his initiative in disclosing dangers of the nuclear age. Three major series of articles explored the many aspects of the problem.

The Beck Awards honor the memory of Edward Scott Beck, managing editor of the Tribune for 27 years. They were first presented in 1943 through the Edward Scott Beck Foundation, established by Beck's widow, the late Mrs. Clare B. Beck, to recognize outstanding performances by Tribune editorial employes.

Following the presentation of the Beck Awards, six members of the Tribune's editorial staff were honored for outstanding performances in two categories—special awards for excellence in writing and editing established in 1974 and the Johnrae Earl award for general excellence in editing, established last year.

A special copy editing award cited LeAnn Spencer, a member of the feature department copy desk, for competence, versatility, and sense of responsibility in dealing with writers and their stories.

Special writing awards went to Michael Hirsley, a general assignment reporter on the city staff, and to Skip Myslenski, a member of the sports staff. Both were cited for general excellence in writing.

A special award for outstanding professional performance went to Sheila Wolfe, city editor, for her direction of metropolitan reporters and for organizing an intern program that provides onthe-job training at the Tribune for journalism students.

Two editors shared the Johnrae Earl award, which was established in the memory of the Tribune's senior copy desk slotman, restaurant critic, and food columnist, who died at the age of 59 on Jan. 10, 1978.

Terry Dvorak, an editor in the Tribune's news and news features planning group, was cited for creative editing, particularly in the production of special sections.

Randy Curwen, assistant editor of the Tempo section, shared the Johnrae Earl award. He was cited for skillful handling of copy and careful attention to writing talents of others.

The awards were presented by William H. Jones, managing editor, at the Tribune's annual editorial department dinner. Moseley, the Tribune's Africa correspondent, has spent long periods in Iran under strained conditions. He was singled out for special praise for a story that carried the headline, "I watched Joe die." It was an eyewitness account of how Iranian gunfire killed his friend, Joe Alex Morris Jr., a reporter for the Los Angeles Times.

It was the second Beck Award for Moseley, who shared an award in 1977 for domestic reporting.

Moseley, 47, a graduate of North Texas State University, joined the Tribune in 1977 after serving as a bureau manager for United Press International in Moscow, Rome, Belgrade, and Cairo, and as UPI news editor for Europe, the Middle East, and Africa.

Coates traveled the nation extensively to gather information on the continuing fallout danger from nuclear tests undertaken years ago and the current problems of nuclear waste disposal.

Coates, 36, joined the Tribune in 1967, the year he was graduated from the University of Wyoming. He was a reporter on the city staff, an Action Line editor, and a rewriteman before he moved to the Washington Bureau in 1972.

Fila, 29, was a copy boy at *Chicago's American* which later became *Chicago Today*. He joined the Today photography department in 1969, and in 1973 he became a photographer for the *Chicago Sun-Times*. Two years later he joined the Tribune. Fila has received more than 25 awards for his photography.

Spencer, 28, was graduated from Indiana University and worked for the *Binghamton* (N.Y.) *Evening Press* and Chicago Today before joining the Tribune in 1974, when Today ceased publication.

Hirsley, 37, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, was a reporter for Chicago Today before joining the Tribune in 1974. He has been a rewriteman reporter, and writer of special columns at the Tribune.

Myslenski, 34, joined the Tribune sports staff in Oct., 1978, after working for the *Rochester* (N.Y.) *Times-Union*,

Sports Illustrated, and the Philadelphia Inquirer. He is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame and has a master's degree in journalism from Northwestern University.

Wolfe, 49, was named city editor of the Tribune on Oct. 13. She joined the Tribune in 1956 and worked as a general assignment reporter until 1973, when she was named an assistant city editor. She was day city editor before she became city editor.

She is a graduate of Drake University and worked for the *Chicago Southtown Economist* before joining the Tribune.

Dvorak, 33, a graduate of the University of Missouri, joined Chicago Today in 1969 and came to the Tribune in 1974.

Curwen, 33, also came to the Tribune from Chicago Today in 1974. He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and worked for the *Rockford Morning Star* for four years before joining Today in 1972.

Conference scheduled on privacy and media

On January 17-18, SEARCH Group, Inc. will conduct a National Conference on News Media Access to Criminal Justice Information at the International Hotel in New Orleans. Louisiana.

The purpose of the Conference is to contribute to the understanding of the laws and regulations regarding news media access to criminal justice information; to clarify the issues and problems; to assist attendees in understanding the competing arguments and interests; and to provide attendees with an opportunity and atmosphere to interact with the persons directly involved in daily decisions regarding news media access to criminal justice information.

The main topics to be discussed at the Conference include a summary of the present status of the law regarding media access to criminal justice information; a discussion of the media's right of special access and an in-depth analysis of the definition of the media; how media access affects criminal justice information management as well as a discussion regarding how individual privacy rights are affected by the release of criminal justice information to the media. There will also be a lecture and a discussion panel on legislating media access to criminal justice information.

Each attendee will receive printed materials related to the issues involved in the conference including information regarding the most recent case and statutory law in this area. The Conference will convene at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 17, and adjourn at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, January 18. There will be no tuition or registration fee. For further information regarding the Conference, contact: Gary Cooper, Assistant Director SEARCH Group, Inc., 1620 35th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95822.

Year-end review

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The media protest reaction was coastto-coast and, when a case from Virginia embodying the core question was appealed to the Supreme Court in August, the justices agreed to have another go at the issue and in October accepted the case for review.

Before year's end, ten media organizations had filed friend-of-the-court briefs urging the high court to clarify itself insofar as 109 orders had been issued since July closing court proceedings, one of these being the Virginia case in question.

One brief was filed by the American Newspaper Publishers Association and the American Society of Newspaper Editors, the other by the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, the AP Managing Editors Association, the National Newspaper Association, the National Press Club, Sigma Delta Chi, the Virginia Press Association, the National Association of Broadcasters and the Radio-Television News Directors Association.

Some other Supreme Court actions affecting the press during 1979:

- In June, the justices ruled that states may not punish a newspaper for accurately printing the name of a juvenile charged with a crime if the information was obtained legally.
- In the same month, the court turned down Pennsylvania's attempt to bar newspaper publication of ''situation wanted' classified ads that refer to an advertiser's race, sex, age, religion or national origin.
- In April, the Supreme Court ruled that the First Amendment does not protect news reporters' thoughts, judgments and discussions from forced pre-trial disclosure in libel cases.

Meantime, the press was trying to recover from the May, 1978 Stanford Daily decision, which sanctioned police rummaging through a newspaper office for evidence against a third party.

In April, President Carter asked Congress for legislation to prevent such rummaging.

Even earlier, in January, Senator Mathias (R-Md.) had introduced legislation to the same effect. On the House side, hearings on a bill sponsored by Representative Kastenmeier (D-Wis) and Railsback (R-III) began, with press representatives testifying to the First Amendment violation in the Stanford Daily rummaging. At year's end, however, no actual legislation had been forthcoming.

Other press-related activity on Capitol Hill included:

• Continuing efforts on both the House and Senate sides to bring the criminal code up-to-date, with the media opposing items believed to violate the First Amendment and make life more difficult for reporters.

- Beginning of hearings on a new FBI charter containing provisions for press cooperation being eyed carefully by the media.
- Continued efforts by Representative Morris K. Udall (D-Ariz) to curtail growth of newspaper groups by giving owners of independent newspapers estate tax benefits. So far, however, legislation to that effect has gotten no further than introduction on the floor.

In January, a committee of Capitol Hill reporters, announced that both Senate and House leaders opposed forcing the press to pay for such benefits as Capitol parking privileges, press gallery desk space and staff services. The report followed a study launched in March of 1978 after Representative Obey (D-Wis) had declared that the press has an obligation to report on its own perks when it is reporting perks provided members of Congress. The committee study said congressional leaders did not oppose newspapers paying for their perks if they wished. As a consequence a number of newspapers began sending checks to the U.S. Treasury

In July, a House Foreign Affairs subcommittee considering a new world information order heard testimony showing how the U.S. government is trying to help thwart a continuing Third World movement for government control of news.

This did not prevent the U.S. playing host, however, at a closed-to-the-press State Department meeting November 6-9 to 30 nations preparing recommendations for UNESCO's intergovernmental conference on communication development in Paris next April 14-20.

The fact the press was barred from the meeting brought wide spread protest after E&P editorially sounded its own vigorous opposition.

After more than two years of developments following on filing of a request by the *Cincinnati Post* and *Cincinnati Enquirer* for a joint operating agreement because of the desperate financial condition of the Post, Attorney General Benjamin R. Civiletti on December 6 approved the merger.

On December 12, US. District Court Judge Gerhard Gesell ruled that publisher John P. McGoff has to obey a subpoena for testimony and documents sought by the Securities and Exchange Commission, which has been investigating McGoff's possible ties to South Africa. The SEC is trying to learn whether McGoff used South African money to buy U.S. newspapers and then failed to disclose the arrangement to stockholders as required by law.

Odds-and-ends of press news during

During the height of the gasoline shortage in June, the Washington Post and other newspapers ran classified ads free of charge to promote car pooling... The Carlisle (Pa.) Evening Sentinel paid mileage charges to employes using bicycles for company business instead of gas-guzzling automobiles ... In January, an agreement was finally reached for an exchange of reporters between the U.S. and the Peoples Republic of China . . . During 1979, Washington news correspondents reached the total of 2,814 . . . In October, the American Newspaper Publishers Association substituted a monthly magazine for their periodic news announcements, calling it presstime . . . the American Press Institute announced an addition to its building

Jailed reporter released in Paraguay

at Reston, Va., making it possible to hold

two seminars at the same time . . . at the

National Press Club in Washington, a

veteran bartender announced the con-

sumption of glasses of white wine is now

greater than that of martinis.

Alcibiades Gonzalez Delvalle, a reporter for *ABC Color* in Asuncion, Paraguay, who was arrested November 5, was released in late December, according to Paraguay Watch, a Washington, D.C. newsletter.

George Neavoll, editor of the editorial page of the *Wichita Eagle and Beacon*, led a movement to get the reporter released from jail. Neavoll wrote an editorial in the December 11 edition and sent letters to the President of Paraguay.

In his December 8 letter to President Alfredo Stroessner, Neavoll noted that "Kansas has a special sister-state relationship" with Paraguay.

"The press independence that has occurred in Paraguay over the past two years has been encouraging to those Kansas journalists, who are watching developments in your country very closely," Neavoll wrote.

"I would like to tell our readers that Paraguay does have such freedoms; and therefore I make this personal and direct appeal to you, as chief-of-state, to let my friend and colleague go," Neavoll said.

The exact circumstances and provision of Delvalle's release were not disclosed

Neavoll said the Wichita newspaper editorial he wrote was not the only help in his effort to use the sister relationship Kansas has with Paraguay. Neavoll succeeded in getting the Mayor of Wichita to write to Paraguay.

The local Wichita chapter of Amenesty International obtained at least 15 of its members to write letters to Paraguay.

Post group expands into non-opinion area

The Washington Post Writers Group, in further expansion into non-opinion feature areas, is beginning syndication of Kenneth R. Harney's weekly column "The Nation's Housing."

Harney's column has been appearing in the Washington Post for four years and is national in scope, focusing on trends and developments of concern to real estate buyers, sellers and investors, and renters.

Harney is co-founder and executive editor of an industry newsletter, *Housing and Development Reporter*, and the author of "Beating Inflation with Real Estate", published by Random House this year.

The columnist says that what people really want to read is hard news about national or regional trends in real estate, changes in laws or regulations affecting real estate values and financing.

Broadway columnist Earl Wilson has returned to his chores for Field Newspaper Syndicate, writing "It Happened Last Night." Earl, who took a leave of absence in mid-summer, came back with a note thanking readers for their "letters and get well cards" during his leave.

Wrote Earl, "It took a long time because I had an incurable ailment—I was lazy." He's doing three columns a week instead of the former 5-day stint.

The monthly foreign press digest, World Press Review (formerly Atlas), is offering two new weekly features for syndication.

"Global Beat" is an editorial or news page column of world affairs and human interest miscellany from the press around the world. The other new feature is "Global Business" a business-page roundup of world economy and business items from publications abroad. Both are available via AP Datafeature and by mail.

Linda Rogers, associate editor, is handling the syndication at the World Press Review, 230 Park Avenue, New York City.

The National News Bureau, a newlyformed newspaper syndication company, based at 1700 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, is serving college newspapers throughout the country.

Articles tailored to the 18-35 market are mailed weekly to the subscribing paper, with the stories supplied by NNB stringers, including Gael Greene, Suzy Chaffee, Bill Boggs (Metromedia TV, New York) talk show host.

Editors in charge of the new company are Andrea Lull Diehl, a former features writer/editor of the *Philadelphia Daily*

News, and Harry Jay Katz, a former columnist with *The Drummer*.

Keith Fuller, president and general manager of The Associated Press, has announced an agreement between AP-Dow Jones and Telekurs AG of Zurich for the Swiss company to market and distribute the AP-Dow Jones/ Telerate Service in Switzerland.

Telerate Service is a computer-based, on-line financial information system specializing in foreign exchange, U.S. Government security and money market fields.

AP-Dow Jones, a joint venture, is the world-wide distributor for the New York based Telerate Systems, Inc. Telekurs is owned by the Swiss banking community, and among its other services markets Investdata, a securities quotation system.

The recently elected mayor of San Francisco, Dianne Feinstein, received special congratulations from the comic strip mayor of Hamford, U.S.A.—"Her Honor", who told Mayor Feinstein, "The best man for the job is a woman."



Mayoral congratulations

The Connecticut team of Michael Nargi and Fran Matera collaborated to create "Her Honor", syndicated by Trans-World News Service, when they saw more women taking leading roles in business and political worlds.

Matera says of the comic strip mayor who is shown in many roles of wife, mother, and mayor, "Humor is drawn from the everyday occurrences and frustrations we all encounter on the job, at home, and in our daily dealings with bureaucracy."

In the waning days of the 70s there occurred a special birthday anniversary of the first lady of the comics page whose measurements continue a celebrated 19-19-19.

The lady is Olive Oyl of the swan-like neck and the 14AAAAAA size shoes

and still madly in love with Popeye.

December 20, Olive became a 60-year veteran of the comics pages—a survivor of many trials since when she first appeared in the strip titled "Thimble Theater." It wasn't until 10 years later that Popeye joined the cast—an event that led to the strip being retitled in honor of his personal popularity.

Bud Sagendorf, who took over the strip following the death of creator Elzie Segar, says, "Olive has held firmly to her role of leading lady, and today her position is more secure than ever . . . Every day in these changing times we are confronted with something new or faced with the loss of something old. It is comforting to know that even though hemlines of women's skirts go up and down, Olive's always remain the same."

Sagendorf is the author of "Popeye, The First 50 Years", published by Workman Press/King Features Syndicate/New York.

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Roger P. Parkinson

Publisher named at Buffalo C-E

Roger P. Parkinson has been named president and publisher of the *Buffalo* (N.Y.) *Courier-Express*, effective February 11. The paper is owned by Minneapolis Star and Tribune Co.

Parkinson, 38, is currently vicepresident-administration of the Washington Post. He joined the Post in 1975 as assistant to the general manager. Later, he served as manager of the Satellite Plant Project and director of administration before being named vicepresident in 1977.

He spent the previous six years with Newsweek magazine in various executive positions, including assistant director of manufacturing and director of special projects.

At the same time, Parkinson announced that James B. Shaffer, 34, senior vicepresident of the Courier-Express and acting publisher since August 1979, will be named associate publisher.

UFS/NEA executives are promoted

David Hendin has been named vice president and editorial director for United Feature Syndicate and Newspaper Enterprise Association. He will supervise the editorial product of all companies and divisions of UFS and NEA.

Also, in the announcement made by Robert Roy Metz, president and chief executive officer of the syndicates. Sid Goldberg was named vice president and executive editor of UFS and NEA, and Don Graff was named managing editor of both syndicates.

Since 1978 Hendin has been vice president and executive editor of NEA and also he became executive editor of UFS when the two syndicates consolidated operations that year. Hendin had joined NEA in 1970 after receiving his master's degree in journalism from the University of Missouri. He served in various posts including science editor, special projects editor, and deputy editorial director.

Hendin is the author of 10 books including the best-seller "Death As a Fact of Life" and wrote "The Medical Consumer" in syndication for 5 years. He is a trustee of The Scripps-Howard Foundation and has been an adjunct professor in journalism for his alma mater since 1971.

Goldberg joined UFS in 1972 when the





Goldberg



Graff

syndicate purchased Bell-McClure Syndicate, publishers of North American Newspaper Alliance. He was executive editor of NANA and editor and executive editor of Women's News Service, becoming president of Bell-McClure in

When the syndicate was sold to UFS, Goldberg became managing editor of UFS and retained his positions as executive editor of NANA and WNS. Goldberg was named vice president of UFS in 1978 when the syndicate consolidated with NEA. Most recently he became director of UFS Spotlite Service.

Goldberg began his career at the Washington Post and later was foreign editor of World Week magazine. He holds a master's and a bachelor's degree from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Graff has been NEA's managing editor since 1965 and chief editorial columnist for the daily service since 1977. Graff began with United Press International in 1954 and worked in Los Angeles, Pittsburgh and Newark bureaus, From 1957 to 1963 he was with Radio Free Europe as an editor in Munich headquarters and then as chief successively of Stockholm and Vienna bureaus. Graff holds a master's degree in history and political science and a bachelor's degree in journalism from the University of Montana and was a cryptographer in the Army Signal Corps.

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\$2 million remodeling project finished

Franklin (Ind.) Daily Journal doubled its floor space last October through an extensive \$2 million remodeling effort.

Every wall in the pre-existing plant built in 1963 was removed, the entire interior refurnished and a new Goss Community SSC press with a 32-page capacity and a speed of 25,000 papers an hour installed.

The new press boasts eight print units used primarily with black ink and two color units designed to over-print three multiple colors. The Goss Community with two quarter-folders can also run two different 16-page publications at the same time.

Once the Daily Journal rolls off the presses now, it drops from the folder onto belts where it's counted and stacked by a Baldwin Count-o-veyor. It's then transported to an EDS Idab Flite rollar conveyor where it can be picked off by hand and sent to two Kansa model 320 inserting machines.

Once stuffed, the paper is set back on the flite roller and moved to a strapping machine where one or two straps can be applied.

As an alternative each bundle can be individually wrapped in plastic by means of a Comac plastic wrap station. This includes a "shrink tunnel" over heated to 150 degrees to seal the bundles and automatically cut the seal to proper lengths.

Again the paper is moved by a power driven conveyor which transports each sealed bundle to the outside where it is picked up for delivery.

In addition to the Daily Journal, the plant also regularly prints the *Greenfield* (Ind.) *Daily Reporter*, two semi-weekly, seven weekly, two monthly and numerous other publications.

Another highlight of the Journal building is the latest in office furniture systems furnished by Intecon Group Furniture Systems of Louisville, Ky.

The Steelcase 9000 series was used in editorial, business and advertising along with the unique "power panels" which will house all electronic systems. The Journal is the first newspaper in the United States to use the power panels. In 1963 it also became the first daily to build an offset plant from the ground up. Circulation is now more than 13,500.

The entire construction project was designed by architects Skidmore, Owings and Merrill of Chicago who designed the original journal building and the *Columbus* (Ind.) *Republic* building.

ANPA/RI Conference shortened by 1-day

The ANPA board of directors has approved a recommendation by the production management committee to change the date for the association's 1980 Production Management Conference to June 7-11 from June 7-12.

The date change is the result of a new program format which shortens the Conference by one day and emphasizes increased participation through expanded workshop sessions which will be combined with the general sessions. Prospective dates for Conferences beyond 1980 have been similarly adjusted.

The traditional Thursday morning session devoted to previews of future newspaper technology will be eliminated. According to Walter E. Mattson, president of the New York Times and chairman of the ANPA production management committee, "The past Thursday sessions have pointed the way for advanced technology; we must now turn our attention to the practical development of systems to make that technology operational. Increasing the number of candid, substantive workshops at this year's Conference will help newspapers deal with the present and prepare for the future"

The 1980 Conference will be held at the Georgia World Congress Center in Atlanta, with the Atlanta Hilton and the Hyatt Regency Atlanta serving as coheadquarters hotels.

Belo to acquire tv station for \$20 million

Fuqua Industries announced that it had agreed to sell its three television stations to separate buyers for a total of \$61 million.

It said its Evansville, Ind., station was being sold for \$21.5 million to Charles Woods of San Diego and its Chattanooga, Tenn., station would be sold to the Belo Broadcasting Corporation for \$20 million. The third station, in Columbus, Ga., is being purchased for \$19.5 million by the Western Broadcasting Company.

N.Y. News picture editor retires

Robert Wahls, picture editor of the *New York Daily News*, retired at the end of 1979 after more than 40 years with the newspaper, having begun as a copy boy and moving up to caption writer. Wahls also wrote a drama column.

Wahls was successor to Howard Knapp, who held the picture editor post for many years at the News, retiring several years ago.

No new picture editor has been named as yet to succeed Wahls.



Dotty Griffith

WINNERS—Dotty Griffith, food editor of the *Dallas Morning News*, has won the 1979 Golden Carnation Award for excellence in nutrition writing.

Griffith was the first-place winner in the over 150,000 circulation category. Runners-up were Donna Lee of the Boston Herald American and Jeannette Branin of the San Diego Union.

Ginnie Mulkey of the Evansville (Ind.) Courier received top honors in the 25,000 to 150,000 circulation category. Runners-up were Nancy Siracusa of the Union City (N.J.) Dispatch and Mary Ann Farrell of the Palm Beach (Fla.) Times.

For nine years, the Carnation Company has sponsored this forum recognizing newspaper food editors for their efforts in nutrition writing.

Griffith was selected for monthly awards for stories on fiber in the diet and nutrition for athletes. She will receive \$500, an engraved marble medallion and a crystal piece at a special luncheon held in her honor this month in Dallas.

Landau selected for Zenger Award

A Washington-based newsman whose basement served as the operational birthplace of a major press committee has been named winner of the 1979 John Peter Zenger award given by the University of Arizona.

Jack C. Landau was selected through ballots sent to 325 news persons throughout the United States, said Donald W. Carson, head of the UA journalism department.

Landau is director of the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press and Supreme Court correspondent for Newhouse Newspapers.

The Zenger award annually honors "distinguished service in behalf of freedom of the press and the people's right to know." The silver and turquoise Zenger plaque will be presented to Landau, the 26th recipient, in Scottsdale, Ariz., January 11, at the annual convention of the Arizona Newspapers Association.

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CIRCULATION MNGR. To \$16,000 For 30,000 daily located in the Midwest. Will be circulation manager for half of the distribution plus a TMC product. Position reports to circulation director and supervises five DM's plus office staff

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ADVERTISING

For metro daily located in the southeastern United States. Property is part of a progressive newspaper chain. Will report to the ad director and supervise a staff of ten. Degree preferred. Prefer someone from a competitive marketplace

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For information call: Patrick J. Quinn, Jr.

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WE ARE INCREASING our circulation by 100,000 in 1981. Positions that will be open are Advertising Director, District Sales managers, retail sales and circulation. You must want to achieve total success for yourself and the company. Advancement opportunities excellent within the paper and affiliated companies. Zone 8. Send resume, references and salary tory to Box 31724, Editor & Publisher

RETAIL ADVERTISING MANAGER for RETAIL ADVERTISING MANAGER for growing daily in the heart of Florida's Gold Coast. Direct and motivate staff of 9 in highly competitive market. Salary, benefits, MBO. Send resume with salary requirements to Rick Baker, Ad Director, Boca Raton FL 33432. A Knight-Ridder Newspaper.

ADVERTISING DIRECTOR for suburban daily and several weeklies in Zone 2 rapidly growing area. Great potential for energetic worker. Excellent salary plus liberal incen-tive. Call Charles Meredith, Free Press, Quakertown PA, (215) 536-6820.

ADVERTISING DIRECTOR

ADVERTISING DIRECTOR Weekly group with free circulation in excess of 100,000 copies per week is accepting applications for the position of advertising director. We are located in the very competitive market of south Florida. Applicants should be very aggressive and have training to manage a staff of 16. Experience with TMC/shoppers is a must, both selling and competing. Excellent opportunity for the right person with all normal benefits available including profit sharing. Resume and all particulars including salary history to Box 31797, Editor & Publisher. All confidences will be maintained.

LARGE GROWING WEEKLY in northern California seeks dynamic, experienced advertising manager to direct a sales force of 4. Must be promotional minded and able to work with large accounts. Good salary and benefits. Send resume and salary re-quirements to Box 31753, Editor & Publisher.

ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER All-American campus daily seeks assistant general manager for advertising, production and typesetting. Degree in business, advertising, communications or graphic arts and/or three years experience in publications' advertising sales or production required. Civil Service position. Salary range \$13,285-\$18,600. Send resume by January 25 to Harry Thiel, Daily Vidette, Illinois State University, Normal IL 61761. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER Employer

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CIRCULATION

CIRCULATION MANAGER for medium sized daily and Sunday in Zone 5. Must have knowledge in all phases of circulation. Must be strong on promotion. Send resume and salary requirements to Box 31669, Editor & Publisher.

CIRCULATION MANAGER for weekly newspaper located in Las Vegas, Nevada. Need an aggressive individual with a proven track record in circulation. Emphasis on home delivery. Great opportunity for the right person. Excellent salary plus incentive program. Call Tom Bravo at (702) 373-0111, or send resume and salary requirements to Box 15205, Las Vegas NV 89114.

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CIRCULATION

CIRCULATION MANAGER for 8000 triweekly in Zone 3. Must be experienced in all phases of circulation. Outstanding growth area. Send complete resume and salary requirement to Bill Hall, The News Messenger, Box 419, Christiansburg VA

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EDITORIAL

DYNAMIC beginner needed by small Mid-west daily newsroom. Must be great at spelling, writing, typing, college academic achievements and leadership potential. Chance to learn all phases of publishing. Write Box 31301, Editor & Publisher, Send complete resume, nonreturnable samples and letter about yourself. Include salary expectations.

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MANAGING EDITOR—Operational direction of the newsroom of a 60,000 morning paper in the West, reporting to the editor, and the strength of the MANAGING EDITOR—Operational direc

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NEED COPY EDITORS who edit tightly and write excellent headlines. Wire and layout experience helpful. Try-out is mandatory. Only first time applicants please. References are a must. Send resume to B. Clair Cobb, News Editor, Arizona Republic, Box 1950, Phoenix AZ 85001.

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EDITORIAL

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MID-SIZE daily in Zone 2 seeking experienced editorial person for possible managerial position. Send resume and references to Box 31636, Editor & Publisher

FEATURE/ENTERPRISE Writer wanted for 14,000 evening daily in attractive New Hampshire-Vermont area. Must be self-starter and capable of developing creative angles to stories. Salary based on experience. Box 31687, Editor & Publisher.

SPORTS COPY EDITOR

Immediate opening for an experienced copy editor interested in sports. Applicants should have at least 2 years experience in copy editing and have some experience in layout. Experience with sports graphics a plus. If you are interested in working for a progressive 117,000 circulation, all day newspaper located in southwestern Virginia please mail your resume to Bill Brill, executive sports editor, Roanoke Times & World-News, PO Box 2491, Roanoke VA 24010. An equal opportunity employer

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ZONE 1, PM daily, 15-16,000 seeks self-starting general assignment reporter 2 years experience preferred. Send resume to Box 31718, Editor & Publisher.

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EMPATHY is the ability to identify with the feelings of your fellow human beings. If you are a feature writer able to write tight stories that make the reader feel the pain, joy and frustration of daily life, let us hear from you. You should have 5 years experience, at least 3 on a metro. Send 4 clips, cover letter and resume to Box 31805. Editor & Publisher

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Resume with clippings to:
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PRODUCTION

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EDITORIAL

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PRESSROOM

RAPIDLY EXPANDING newspaper in Zone 5 is seeking an experienced pressperson capable of running top quality color work on a Harris 1650 or Metro press. Possible head pressperson or foreman MF position for qualified person. Good company benefits and working conditions. Only qualified people need apply. Write Box 31610, Editor & Publisher.

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PRODUCTION

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Sandy regording and covering letter to: Edmund Delaney Department of Public Relations Carnegie-Mellon University 5000 Forbes Avenue Pittsburgh, PA. 15213

Positions Wanted.

ADMINISTRATIVE

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EDITORIAL

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PHOTO COLUMNIST—Seeking position as photo columnist for large daily newspaper or syndicated columnist for several public or syndicated columnist for several publi-cations. Six years experience as photo col-umnist for one of country's top ten papers. Technical, human interest features. Back-ground: 32 years as writer, photographer and photo editor. Please contact Box 31661, Editor & Publisher.

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EDITORIAL

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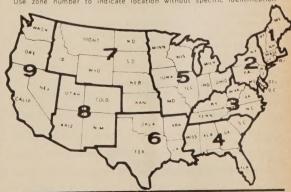
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Program set for rights meeting in Philadelphia

The first of two First Amendment Congresses, designed to heighten public awareness of the importance of free press guarantees, will be held in Philadelphia January 16-17, with a follow-up in Williamsburg, Va. March 16-18.

To further that goal, the 12 national journalism organizations sponsoring the Congresses are encouraging delegates not affiliated with the media to attend and participate. Already listed as delegates are educators, attorneys and business people.

CBS anchorman Walter Cronkite will be keynote speaker in Philadelphia and the meeting at the First Bank of the United States in the historic district of

In addition to Cronkite's address on the First Amendment and its role in the future of the United States, the Congress will feature panel discussions and other presentations about the rights of a free press.

Jean Otto, national president of Sigma

Delta Chi and op-ed page editor of the *Milwaukee Journal*, organized the steering committee for the Congresses and will serve as chairperson.

Sponsoring organizations are: American Newspaper Publishers Association, Associated Press Managing Editors Association, American Society of Newspaper Editors, National Association of Broadcasters, National Broadcast Editorial Association, National Conference of Editorial Writers, National Newspaper Association, Radio-Television News Directors Association, Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, Society of Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi, the Associated Press and United Press International.

Cronkite will deliver the keynote address at the First Bank at 9 a.m. on January 17, and immediately following George Gallup Jr., will release the results of a poll taken on public attitudes toward the press.

Cronkite and Gallup will join public attitude researchers Michael and Judee Burgoon of Michigan State University in a discussion of public attitudes toward the press.

A panel, "Whose First?" will have Eugene Patterson, editor of the St. Petersburg Times, as moderator with Oregon State Representative Ted Bugas, George Washington University Law School Dean Jerome Barron, and New Orleans Mayor Ernest Moreal, participating.

Speakers in the afternoon session for Part II of "Whose First?" include: Charles Seib, Washington Post ombudsman, moderator; Congresswoman Millicent Fenwick, and Thomas A. Donahue, vice president, United States Chamber of Commerce.

Following each of those panels delegates will have a "talk-back."

"Without A First" is to be a summing up session with Abe Raskin of the National News Council, Gary Bryner, administrative assistant to U.A.W. president and Dr. Norman Graebner, professor of American history at the University of Virginia.

The congress will conclude with Anthony Lewis of the *New York Times*, now on a Harvard University teaching fellowship, presenting the charge for the Colonial Williamsburg workshop in March.

Invitations went out to educators, librarians, lawyers, judges, union leaders, business executives, and many public and civic organizations.

1980 newspaper meeting dates

AHEAD IN 1980

First Amendment Congress, First Bank of the United States, Philadelphia, January 16-17.

International Newspaper Advertising Executives, Texas Hyatt Regency, Dallas, January 20-23.

Great Lakes Newspaper Production Conference, Detroit Plaza Hotel, January 26-29.

Inland Daily Press Association, Hyatt Regency, Phoenix, March 1-4.

Inter-American Press Association, Cariari Hotel, San Jose, Costa Rica,

First Amendment Congress Workshop, Colonial Williamsburg Motor House, Williamsburg, Virginia, March 16-18.

Suburban Newspapers of America, Editorial Conference/Congressional Breakfast, Hyatt Regency, Washington, D.C., March 19-22.

America-East Newspaper Production Conference, Hershey Motor Lodge, Hershey, Pa., March 26-28.

American Society of Newspaper Editors, Washington Hilton, April 7-10.

Canadian Press, Royal York Hotel, Toronto, April 15.

Canadian Daily Newspaper Publishers Association, Royal York Hotel, Toronto, April 16-17.

American Newspaper Publishers Association, Sheraton Waikiki, Honolulu, April 21-23.

The Associated Press, Sheraton-Waikiki, Honolulu, April 21.

United Press International, Sheraton-Waikiki, Honolulu, April 22.

Newspaper Purchasing Management Assn., Portland Hilton, Portland, Ore., April 27-May 1.

International Newspaper Promotion Association, Waldorf-Astoria, New York City, May 4-7.

Catholic Press Association, Opryland Hotel, Nashville, May 13-15.

Religious Communications Congress 1980, Opryland Hotel, Nashville, May 13-16.

Suburban Newspapers of America, Royal Sonesta Hotel, New Orleans, May 13-16.

Institute of Newspapers Controllers and Finance Officers, Doral Coun-

try Club, Miami, May 18-21.
International Federation of Newspaper Publishers (FIEJ) Tel Aviv, Israel,

May 25-28.

Associated Press Sports Editors Association, Washington, D.C., Hilton,

June 3-6.

ANPA/Research Institute Production Management Conference,

Georgia-World Congress Convention Center, Atlanta, June 7-12.

Newspaper Food Editors and Writers Association, Hay-Adams Hotel, Washington, D.C., June 11-13.

Association of Newspaper Classified Advertising Managers, Sheraton Hotel, Boston, June 15-19.

National Newspaper Publishers Association, Hyatt Regency, Chicago, June 18-21.

International Circulation Managers Association, Crown Center Hotel, Kansas City, Mo., June 29-July 3.

National Press Photographers Association, Genesee Plaza Holiday Inn, Rochester, N.Y., June 29-July 3.

The Newspaper Guild, Montreal, June 30-July 4

International Newspaper Advertising Executives, Sheraton Hotel, Boston, July 13-16.

Association for Education in Journalism, Boston University, August 10-13.

National Conference of Editorial Writers, Holiday Inn, Huntington, West Virginia, September 23-26.

Association of National Advertisers, The Homestead, Hot Springs, Virginia, September 28-October 1.

Southern Newspaper Publishers Association, The Broadmoor, Colorado Springs, September 28-October 1.

National Newspaper Association, Stouffers Hotel, St. Louis, October 1-5

Women in Communications Inc., Bahia Hotel, San Diego, October 2-5.
United Press International Edicon, Hyatt Regency, Cambridge, Mass.,
October 5-8.

American Association of Sunday and Feature Editors, Don CeSar Beach Resort Hotel, St. Petersburg, October 8-11.

Newspaper Advertising Sales Association Food Editors Conference, Radison South, Minneapolis, October 12-17.

Inter American Press Association, Vacation Village Hotel, San Diego, October 13-17.

Inland Daily Press Association, Drake Hotel, Chicago, October 19-21. Institute of Newspaper Controllers and Finance Officers, Galt House, Louisville, Ky., October 26-29.

Associated Press Managing Editors, The Pointe, Phoenix, November 18-21.

The Society of Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi, Hyatt House, Columbus, Ohio, November 19-22.

March 17-20

Will there ever be another TV series as worthwhile as Sesame Street?

Yes, thank goodness. It starts Monday, January 14.

Joan Ganz Cooney and her Children's Television Workshop saw a way 10 years ago to teach kids, using the medium kids love best. The happy result was Sesame Street.

Does anyone have to be told Sesame Street went on to become one of the most successful TV shows ever?

Now Joan Cooney and the Workshop are ready with a new series every bit as significant as Sesame Street. It's called 3-2-1 Contact. It will be on PBS stations Mondays through Fridays.

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the same excitement to science and technology that *Sesame Street* brought to the child's first recognition of letters and numbers.

The National Science Foundation, The U.S. Department of Education, and the Corporation for Public Broadcasting all contributed sizable sums to help put 3-2-1 Contact on the air.

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Our motives are simple. We invest nearly a million-and-a-half dollars a day in scientific research and development to keep our

Otis elevators, Pratt & Whitney Aircraft jet engines, Carrier air conditioners, Sikorsky helicopters and other high-technology products the best in their fields—and to create new and still better products. The United Technologies \$2 million grant for this show is part of our investment in the future. We're pleased to make it.

And we're happy to invite you and your 8-to 12-year old friends to watch 3-2-1 Contact. See your local TV listings for the broadcast schedule.



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